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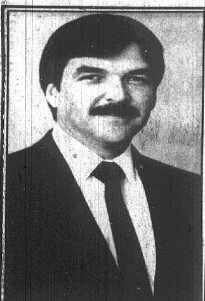
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RICHARD JARVIS

Publisher welcomes readers

When we announced on Monday that the Monday Granite City Press-Record and the weekend Granite City Journal would combine resources to put out a superior Sunday newspaper for Quad-City area residents, I was sure they would perceive this change as an additional asset for their communities. I must report as our first combined issue goes to press, the positive response to date from both readers and advertisers has been overwhelming.

It has meant some long nights and busy days for all Press-Record/Journal employees, time they were

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A. O. Smith comes back strong

Plant gets \$2.5 million; preparing for production

Economic recovery in Granite City continued Thursday with a \$2.5 million loan to A.O. Smith from Madison County.

The loan was a federal Urban Development Action Grant (UDAG), and was a major catalyst in A.O. Smith officials' decision to reopen the plant that had closed in 1980.

The plant is preparing production of a cradle for the new Ford Taurus for 1986, and a full-frame assembly for a Chrysler mid-size pickup truck for 1987.

Stan Lindquist, vice president of operations for the Granite City plant, said that, if fully manned, the plant could employ between 300 and 550 people within the next couple of years. He emphasized the actual number of jobs created will depend on how well Ford's and Chrysler's sales go.

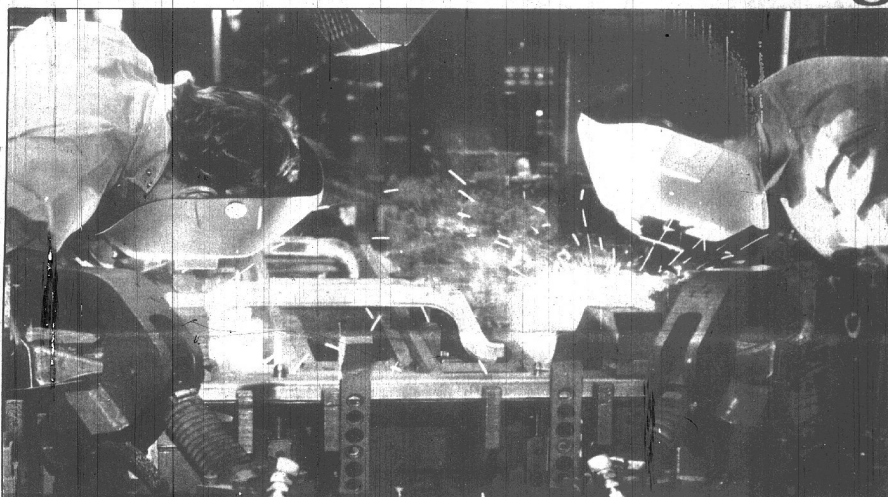
Lindquist said the loan was part of a "rebirth" of the plant.

"We're involved in starting new processes which are state-of-the-art," Lindquist said. "Along with a new management philosophy, we're shooting for superior productivity and quality. We are striving to be the best in the business, and we will accept nothing less."

The city of Granite City also was involved in helping the plant get back on its feet. Up to \$20-million in industrial revenue bonds were issued.

"We're happy to have them back operation," said Granite City Mayor Paul Schuler. "Just to have them back is reward enough."

Jack Birchill, vice president of corporate communication for the



LIMITED PRODUCTION RUN. Assembly line workers spot weld components of the 1986 Ford Taurus engine cradle. (Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

plant's corporate headquarters in Milwaukee, also credited Madison County Board Chairman Nellie Hansen, U.S. Senators Alan Dixon and Paul Simon, former U.S. Sen. Charles Percy and U.S. Rep. Melvin Price for their help in the revival of A.O. Smith.

"Approximately 90 people are

employed right now, with 25 of those hourly employees," Lindquist said. "We would hope to have 150 employed by the end of this year, and then a gradual buildup depending on how sales go."

Other plans call for air conditioning the entire factory, and a total of 84 presses and 50 automatic robots will be installed.

Birchill said the bulk of the \$2.5 million county loan will go toward equipment purchases.

Aaron Ridenour, Madison County

economic development coordinator, explained a large part of the loan would go toward the purchase of a hot wax treatment facility for the models.

"The grant from the federal government was not for A.O. Smith, but was for the county," Ridenour said. "We are making the payment to A.O. Smith in the form of a loan to be repaid to the county over the next several years. It will be repaid in full to be used by Madison County for other projects."

Ridenour also said the county is of-

fering on-the-job training for employees and said the county had been responsible for placing "nine or ten" of the 25 hourly employees currently working in the factory.

Pilot production of the Ford Taurus is taking place now, but that is just to do some "debugging," according to Norton Henke, production manager at the plant.

Actual production is scheduled to begin in May, with pilot production of the Chrysler truck slated to begin in the fall, with actual production starting before the end of 1985.

'Luck o' the Irish' good but iffy

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH
Staff Writer

The luck of the Irish. Personally, I've always felt a little like I've missed out on something—being a combination of Italian and German descent.

After all, Italians and Germans aren't really known for their luck. In fact, I can't think of a single nationality that is considered as lucky as the Irish. But what does all of this legend really mean to the Irish? Six local Irish lasses and lads, who were interviewed, agreed that they have been lucky, though, because they disagree as to where their good fortune may have come from.

Kelly Hogan, owner of Kelly Hogan Plumbing Co., said he doesn't really think it's true that the Irish are the only ones who are lucky. "I think some people are just born lucky and I don't think it has anything to do with their ancestry," he said. "I do think that I've been very fortunate, though, because it seems like I've always been in the right place at the right time."

Granite Cityan Gwen O'Guin agrees with Hogan, that some people seem to have been born under a lucky star. "I really don't think your luck has anything to do with your being Irish," she said. "In

fact, some of the people now living in Northern Ireland aren't very lucky at all."

Dorothy (O'Neill) Smith, a secretary at the Tri-City Chapter of the American Red Cross, said she thinks it is lucky to be Irish. "I've always had what I need and I've always been able to get employment," she said. "I've got a successful marriage, two lovely daughters and a grandchild—and they're all healthy. I haven't come into any great deal of money or anything, but there's always that possibility."

Terrence O'Leary, a Granite City attorney, said he feels he has been lucky because he and his family have all been blessed with good health. "I haven't been lucky enough to win a \$40 million lottery, but on the other hand, I've been lucky enough not to ever suffer a calamity," he said. "And basically, I consider that to be pretty lucky."

Associate Judge P. J. O'Neill of Alton said he feels he has been lucky in life because he has a wife and children that he "loves very much. Any other achievements I have in life are just icing on the cake," he said.

Donald "Mick" Murphy, a retired supervisor from Granite City Steel said he gambles "a little" and has been pretty lucky at it. He said his luck is

due to "good, clean living," however, rather than to being Irish.

Even still, the Irish have a lot more help than other nationalities in their quest for luckiness.

For instance, they have their own patron saint, St. Patrick. According to legend, he arrived in Ireland and charmed the snakes down to the seashore so that they were driven into the water and drowned. These snakes apparently were a real problem in the country before St. Patrick arrived.

St. Patrick also is noted for having converted the inhabitants of Ireland from heathenism to Christianity, something that probably required a little more than luck.

But St. Patrick was not the only lucky thing that has happened to the Irish. They have many symbols to denote their good fortune. One of them is the shamrock.

Legend has it that the three-leafed clover was planted by St. Patrick because its three leaves represented the Holy Trinity. Many Irishmen, and well as persons of other nationalities wear the shamrock on St. Patrick's Day to represent their

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Comment

Consumers biked again

WASHINGTON — The big oil companies are currently paying back billions of dollars they over-charged for oil and gas during the 1970s. But thanks to sloppy thinking and even sloppier supervision by the federal bureaucrats entrusted with dispensing the money, the consumer is getting biked again.



Jack Anderson

Here's the story:

In the 1970s, several oil companies were found to have violated oil and gas price controls then in effect. After years of negotiations and red tape, the oil companies have begun paying back the illegal overcharges.

It would be impossible to give the money back to all the individuals who were actually overcharged several years ago. So the billions of dollars are being put in a kitty controlled by the Department of Energy, which then dispenses it to various states according to the best estimate of fair sharing.

The trouble, according to an unreleased General Accounting Office report obtained by our associate Tony Capaccio, is that the DOE has allowed "payments to institutions...that were not actually injured by overcharges."

GAO auditors studies consent orders totaling \$36 million entered into by DOE and four oil companies: Chevron, Standard Oil of Ohio, Imperial Refineries and Site Oil Company of Missouri.

They found that DOE hadn't bothered to consult the overcharged consumers — utilities, airlines, schools, small businesses, towns and individuals. This was improper, GAO concluded.

But what really burned the GAO sleuths and Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., was that DOE "agreed to settlement terms which may not provide for restitution." For example, DOE allowed these uses of the overcharge repayments:

— Repairs and maintenance of highways, bridges and airports.

— "Hardly akin to restitution for oil overcharges," Dingell complained to DOE Secretary John Herrington.

— Georgia is being allowed to spend \$250,380 of its reimbursement to buy 692 breadtrays for its drunk-driver testing program. "The connection to overcharged consumers is remote," Dingell wrote.

— Nebraska won DOE approval for spending \$100,000 of its overcharge windfall on a project intended to demonstrate that trees used for shade and windbreaks can help reduce heating and cooling costs. The project would also "instill in students an enthusiasm for tree planting," the GAO report notes.

— Most outrageous of all, perhaps, was Texas's plan to use its \$798,858 share of overcharge restitution money for projects at the state university's bureau of economic geology. In Texas, geology means searching for oil as the GAO auditors were quick to note. The projects funded by the overcharge refunds, the report explains, "would directly benefit energy producers" — the very culprits who overcharged their customers in the first place.

It's almost as if a mugger were given the little old lady's purse back after he was found guilty.

STRICTLY PERSONAL: A Washington, D.C., businessman recently received a fancy "information" packet from the U.S. Treasury, showing that new, multicolored, supposedly counterfeit-proof government checks will soon replace the familiar green punch cards.

The businessman asked us to find out why the government was spending so much to publicize the new checks.

We learned that the packets were mailed to some 15,000 businesses across the country — mostly liquor stores and others that cash government checks for customers. The packages of glossy posters and flyers cost "about \$5 apiece," according to a Treasury official.

But the packets were only a small part of the Treasury Department's campaign to tell the public about its new checks. The total price tag for the public-relations effort will come to \$500,000, the official said. He explained, "If you're using a certain check for 40 years, it takes a public awareness campaign" to make a change.

Our businessman friend insisted, however, that he could have been sufficiently informed with a simple letter.

We've also been hearing many complaints about the latest postal rate hike to 22 cents for a first-class letter. But Earle Stillwell of Bethesda, Md., has a gripe that transcends a mere 2-cent increase.

Stillwell sent off payment of a fuel bill to his oil company, but postal employees couldn't read the address. He had neglected to put a return address on the envelope, so the post office opened it to determine the sender. The letter was then returned to Stillwell — at a charge of 70 cents. By the time he mailed a new check to the oil company, it was overdue and he had to pay a finance charge of 85 cents.

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I'M TIRED OF ROBBING BANKS... LET'S JUST GET A JOB WITH GENERAL DYNAMICS...

At college level there's... Cheating in sports

"Pressure for profits fuels cheating in college sports" — headline in USA Today.

Football coach Bobby Tawdry was livid. He had just been informed by the president of the "University of Champions" that his 1985 budget had been frozen.

"How do they expect me to get to a bowl game if they don't give me the \$100,000?" Tawdry asked his wife Delta.

"Why would he freeze your budget?" she asked him.

"He says he needs more money for his professors. They want to be paid the same rates as the football players."

"That's ridiculous. There isn't a top 20 school in America that could afford to pay professors what you pay your players. Did you point out that the team makes a profit while professors are just a drain on school finances?"

"Sure I did. And he said there's a new rule. I have to spend as much money on education as I do on athletics, or the school will lose its accreditation. I said I'd like to see



Art Buchwald

him tell that to an all-state lineman who can take less than \$100,000 to play on the team."

"I hope that shook him up," Delta said.

"It should have. But then he went into a song and dance about how much money the athletic department was spending on steroids. He said it doesn't look good for a major university to be dispensing drugs to the football team. The next thing I expected him to do was tell me I have to play the kids without painkillers."

Delta was furious. "They all live in their ivory towers and have no idea what it takes to win a conference title. How do they expect you to fill the stadium every Saturday afternoon without pills? Did you tell

him if you didn't give your players steroids they would never be big enough to get a contract in pro football?"

"Yes, and he mumbled something about it wasn't the university's job to develop talent for professional sports. I told him, 'we're the little leagues for pro football. The only reason the kids put out 100 percent is so they can get the attention of the NFL scouts in the stands.'"

"Did that shut him up?"

"It did about the steroids, but then he brought up student grades. He said he was still getting beat from the conference about players not attending any classes last year. He told me the faculty has its back up, and recently voted not to pass anybody unless he came to school. Furthermore, he said I could no longer suit up a member of the team unless he could read and write. That really sent me through the roof. I told him, 'You're tying both my hands behind my back. Why don't you cut off my legs and be done with it?'"

"I'm amazed you kept your

temper as long as you did," Delta said.

"Then I told him, 'I was hired to coach football to bring glory and recognition to the school. But I have to do it my way. If you freeze the money so I can't recruit the high school players, and if you put impossible drug and educational restrictions in my way, then I have no choice but to take my case to alumni. Let them decide whether they want a winning team, or one that plays by the NCAA rules and becomes the laughingstock of Saturday's TV game of the week.'"

"And he folded?" Delta said.

"He should have but he didn't. He said he was going to take it up with the board of trustees and ask for a vote of confidence. I warned him it was a mistake. When trustees have to choose between an administrator who is throwing away money on faculty salaries, and a winning football coach who is bringing in \$20 million a year, the school president doesn't have a prayer."

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Dealing with death: crying preferred by psychologists

You and I are going to deal today with the most unhappy subject, but not without purpose.

At best, what does each of us have to look forward to — ultimately? Surely, whether sooner or later, probably in pain, we will die and our earthly remains decay away.

That prospect is something some people can't handle. Yet ironically, fearing death, they run out to meet it.

Suicide statistics confirm — never have so many moths been circling — irresistibly attracted to the flame.

So what?

So psychologists have been urgently researching ways and means of "dealing with death."

They've discovered it helps, when friends die, to let yourself cry. It has been my own observation and experience that the umbilical cord between a mother and son is never really severed until the death of one. I remember vividly my own reaction — and my delayed reaction.

Daniel Goleman, evaluating new research, discovers that "among adults who suffer the death of a parent, women whose mothers die suffer the most extreme mourning," apparently in part because of the special closeness of that relationship. But psychologists don't believe, because of the ambivalent guilt feelings which Freud described as "self-hate" relating to previous conflicts.

Willard Gaylin, psychiatrist, Columbia University, says, "If you feel you need the other person in order to cope with life, then he or she threatens your very survival by dying; you feel abandoned."



Paul Harvey

Children are inclined to express grief in disguised forms — as aggressiveness, hostility, misbehavior at school. This process of disguised grief may continue for many years.

From the new insights have come several practical recommendations. The widow who may appear "strong" to relatives at the time of her loss because she resists grieving actively may suffer weeks or months later, long after the relatives have stopped coming by.

What the newest studies recommend is the oldest formula: let yourself cry.

The Roman Catholic wake and the Jewish custom of sitting Shiva are increasingly important in modern society because of the rootlessness of contemporary life.

The old rituals remove the mourner from the stream of life to ponder one's relationship with the dead person and one's own place in the world and finally to return to that stream having adjusted to living without loss.

Without adequate mourning, a subliminal obsession with grief distorts what life remains and, frequently, abbreviates it.

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Letters Policy

Tired of Chouteau flooding caused by broken pledges

TO THE EDITOR,

Recently, another rain caused the same flooding in the subdivision in which I have lived for the past 27 years.

To get out of this subdivision and go to work, I walk in the street, on sidewalks and other property owners' driveways, lawns and even porches. I have ruined shoes, hose, stacks and other wearing apparel. Some garments need cleaning because the floodline reaches the heels. After walking in this flood condition for so many years, you get to know the low and high spots of these standing waters.

In the 27 years of being a property owner, there have been numerous aldermen. Each newly running and elected candidate has made promises to alleviate this flooding condition, but it is apparently to no avail.

My concern at this time is why Sharon Perjak is being blamed for this existing condition, when, to my knowledge, she has been the only alderman that showed concern. I have seen the time when she and Mac Warfield have driven by my home checking on the stupid pond installed for no reason at all, supposedly for the rain water to flow into. It was for the rainwater to flow into, is the reason I was told and read about.

Why blame one person when there is no overall support for city problems that need immediate attention?

Next flooding condition, I could camp on the overpass until the floodwaters have subsided.

LORRAINE McILVOY
Briarcliff Drive

Chomsky says change can help morale of police

TO THE EDITOR,

The anti-police attitude of the Madison city administration bothers me.

A Madison alderman approached me over the weekend and tried to persuade me to support the acting mayor in the April 2 election. The alderman said that the questionnaires sent out recently by the acting mayor to the citizens of Madison showed that the people of Madison were fully satisfied with all parts of the city administration except the police department. The alderman

said the only thing the people complained about was the police.

The alderman also said that the only thing the night shift of the Madison Police Department does is to park all night at one of two locations near the edges of the city of Madison.

SAM CHOMKO

(Editor's Note: The writer concluded that change in the city's power structure is needed boost the low morale of the police department.)

Quad City News

Sunday newspaper making debut; it's a 'family event'

By JACK C. VENTIMIGLIA
Managing Editor

Today's readers are breaking new ground, exploring the pages of a newspaper designed with the latest in graphic and content considerations — the Granite City Press-Record/Journal Sunday.

Granite City is among the growing number of cities nationwide enjoying the special attributes of a paper that keeps the family in mind.

According to Editor and Publisher, which bills itself as the "only independent weekly magazine covering the newspaper business," Sunday papers are a trend. Readership has jumped from approximately 43 million in 1946 to more than 56.5 million today.

Speaking for the American Newspaper Publishers Association, Joe Lorfano said Sunday newspapers are the best read papers, by a significant amount. In cases of daily newspapers, Sunday issues carry approximately one-third of the advertising.

Reader interest in Sunday papers must in part be attributed to the fact Sunday is a family day. Lorfano said Sunday papers

generally provide "something for everyone in the family." It's typical for a family to pull the Sunday paper apart, with someone enjoying a human interest feature, another scanning the sports pages and others looking for "their page" — be it entertainment, comment or club events.

Being aware of the family aspect, Granite City's Sunday newspaper is designed to meet those special needs of our particular audience by providing a hometown emphasis that can be found only in these pages, according to Press-Record-Journal Publisher Richard Jarvis.

The features, the news, the events are reduced to those things of the utmost interest to our readers, Jarvis said.

Lorfano said Sunday readership is an "at home phenomenon." He said 45 million persons go to church each Sunday, 87 million go jogging, and more than 108 million turn the pages of their hometown newspapers every weekend.

Lorfano said human interest material is a strong point of Sunday papers, but he noted the newspaper considers "news number one" because it has the highest reader-

ship, a fact not overlooked in the new Granite City Sunday newspaper, according to Jarvis.

The Granite City Sunday paper is one in which news can be examined in detail, and features handled with flair in content and design, according to Jarvis.

Advertisers haven't missed the importance of those Sunday readers, Lorfano said.

"The fact is that they (advertisers) go to the newspaper on Sunday because that is the big place for inserts and advertising," Lorfano said.

With vital and interesting information, and strong advertising support, the first issue of the Granite City Sunday paper is a success, according to Jarvis. But he said neither he nor his editorial and advertising staffs are going to sit back and pat themselves on the back.

"The Granite City Sunday paper is a commitment to the community," Jarvis said. "We think we've put together a fine newspaper this week, but our goal now as ever will be to produce a better one week after week."

Publisher discusses newspaper

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all happy to spend to develop the kind of Sunday newspaper the residents of the Quad-City area deserve. You will notice the new food section, and expanded sports, entertainment, classified, features and local news coverage.

Faithful readers of the Press-Record, in addition to the new Sunday publication will continue to receive their Thursday Press-Record through home delivery or their favorite single copy outlet. They will continue to find hard-hitting

editorials, Al Barnes and Al Gerstenecker's popular columns on local happenings, plus the "Campus Page," "Readers React" and other favorite sections.

Many readers tell us they would not want to miss the "Forum" where letters to the editor are printed. This also will be continued in the Thursday Press-Record. The Wednesday Journal will continue to serve readers and advertisers as it has in the past, with high quality news, sports, features, and those special sections

you've come to enjoy.

We trust you'll enjoy the new Granite City Sunday newspaper and find it a valuable addition to your reading schedule. We certainly enjoy bringing it to you.

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Allen will transfer Mudge case

By GARY SCHNEIDER
Executive editor

The murder of a former Granite City woman, allegedly by Thomas G. Mudge, 25, of Edwardsville, will be sent from the Madison County state's attorney's office to another prosecuting agency this week.

State's Attorney Dick Allen told the Press-Record/Journal Friday night. Allen, who was a close friend of Mudge's father—the late Dick Mudge—came under fire earlier Friday from State Senator Sam Vadala (D-Edwardsville), who said he had asked the Illinois attorney general's office to take over the case since Allen's had apparently breached a promise to turn the case over to the attorney general's office.

Vadala contended that Allen had told a news reporter that he could not prosecute the case because of his friendship with Mudge, a former Madison County state's attorney, so would turn it over to the attorney general.

Allen last night denied Vadala's contention, saying "I never told a reporter that. I did not say that."



Dick Allen

Allen did say, however, "With my friendship with Dick Mudge, there is no way I could handle this case, so our office will not handle this case."

Thomas Mudge allegedly murdered his girlfriend, Jacqueline M. Reed, 25, of Edwardsville, a former Granite City resident, in her Edwardsville apartment May 11 or 12, 1983. A Madison County grand jury indicted him on the murder charge June 23, 1983, after hearing

evidence that she allegedly suffered a two fractures to the back of her skull from a blunt instrument while she was alone in the apartment with Mudge.

Allen said he wants to talk to Assistant State's Attorney Bob Trone, who has been working with the case, and Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick before deciding what to do with the murder case, but said, "I want it out of the state's attorney's office."

Vadala, responding to a request from Miss Reed's parents, asked the attorney general's office to take over the case when Allen did not do so. Bob Schuff, first assistant attorney general, told Vadala that the office has received no request from Allen to transfer the case and in a conversation with Allen, the state's attorney indicated to Schuff that it is unlikely that he will request this office to handle the case, Schuff said in a letter.

Vadala also was told that the attorney general's office lacks the power of law to assume prosecution in a criminal case unless asked to do so by the state's attorney of the county where the crime occurred.

Irish known for their luck

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loyalty to their country. And we all know that a four-leafed clover is just loaded with good luck!

Besides that, the Irish have the shillelagh, which is a club formed from an oak or blackthorn sapling found in Shillelagh County in Wicklow, Ireland. The county is famous for its oak trees and the shillelagh is known to bring good fortune.

The Irish also have the Blarney Stone. This is a huge rock embedded in the inner tower of Blarney Castle, near Cork, Ireland. As legend would have it, the medieval owner of the castle is said to have kept the stone from being captured by putting off the attackers with promises and flattery.

Persons kissing the stone are said to be given the power of sweet, persuasive talk. Along this same line, persons who are clever, convincing talkers are said to have the gift of "blarney."

Getting the gift of blarney, however, is a little bit

harder than getting other forms of Irish luck. In order to kiss the Blarney Stone, the person must bend over a concrete fence backwards and downwards and then kiss the stone. If the kisser slips, he faces a drop of 100 feet.

A final form of luck for the Irish is the leprechaun. This dwarf is most famous for his pot of gold, which he stashes at the end of their rainbow.

The creature, thought to be the shoemaker of the fairies, is also believed to help humans with their domestic chores in exchange for help in mending his shoemaker's tools.

I guess maybe just being Irish isn't enough to make you luckier than anybody else. But on the other hand, having a saint, a holy plant, a club, a stone and a little man with a pot of gold on your side, couldn't hurt!

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Mayor candidates debate questions and answers at forum

During the Granite City mayor's forum Monday night, candidates were asked eight questions that were selected by the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce.

Those candidates participating included Mayor Paul Schuler, Von Dee Cruse and Mac Warfield.

The questions, and a summary of each candidate's response to each question, follow:

What would you suggest as a solution to the city's sewer break problem?

Schuler responded that during a review of the sanitary sewers in the Nameoki area, a look was taken at the minutes of the meetings of the special sewer committee. He added that Cruse was chairman of the special group that controlled the planning, building and acceptance of the Nameoki Sewer Project.

"I'm sure if Mr. Cruse had it to do over again, he'd do it differently," Schuler commented. "Nevertheless, every time I look down into one of those bottomless pits, I see Mr. Von Dee Cruse's face." (There were some peeps from the crowd when this comment was made.)

Schuler conceded that the blame for the problem could not be placed on one man. He said he is confident that the Corps of Engineers will come up with a final solution.

Cruse said he does not feel he was wrong in his decision to put in the sewers. "I'd do the same thing if it would happen today," he commented.

Cruse gave a detailed explanation about how sewer breaks occur. He blamed the groundwater level for the problems and said that he does not think "piecemeal repairs" on the sewer breaks or waiting for the Corps of Engineers to complete its study, is the answer.

"It must be apparent to any layman, if not some politicians, that some sections of the sewer must be redesigned for the conditions that exist today," Cruse said. "It's time to bite the bullet and proceed with the job."

Warfield commented that he is surprised that Cruse thinks the groundwater is what is causing the breaks. "I didn't know you were an authority on sewer breaks," he commented.

Warfield added that most of the articles he has read about Cruse in the paper, especially in the Post-Dispatch, sound to him like they were written by Daniel Partney, (a mayoral candidate in the 1981 election, who is supporting Cruse's campaign). This comment also brought a negative reaction from some of the crowd.

He suggested that the city seek federal funds to help finance the raising of the sewer lines and to put in more lift stations. "All's I got to say is that no one has worked on the sewer breaks more than I have," Warfield said. "We (the street department) work on those sewer breaks 24 hours a day, seven days a week."

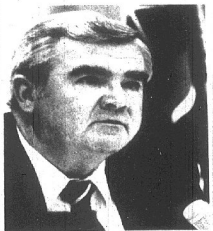
In your opinion, are local building codes, zoning ordinances and other city ordinances presently sufficient to improve the quality of the community and are the methods of enforcement effective?

Warfield said he feels the city has a strong enough building code if it is enforced. "What are the people of the city of Granite City going to do if you bring in a building code that they can't live by?" he asked. "Hey, I think it's time we started taking care of some of the elderly people, the senior citizens in the city of Granite City."

He added that as far as zoning laws, he is against spot zoning.

Schuler said he feels the current building code is good, but that it needs some changes. "I believe that there are some improvements that could be made and when the aldermanic committee comes up with these changes in the building code, I think the department of engineering and building department will do the job that they have to," he said.

Cruse said he feels the city building codes need updating and



PAUL SCHULER



VON DEE CRUSE



MAC WARFIELD

enforcement. He also stated that he feels the growth of the city depends on helping businesses in their efforts to locate here.

"We need jobs," Cruse said. "We cannot continue to turn business away without making every effort to solve whatever the problems may be. We have got to ask the question, 'What can we do to help you locate in Granite City?'"

Please access the efficiency and quality of city services. What measure would you adopt to improve or maintain quality of services?

Cruse said he feels the city police force is good, but thinks the fire department is "understaffed and politically influenced." He also said he thinks the street department needs "qualified leadership instead of political."

Cruse added that he is in favor of establishing a public works department in the city. The department would include street and alley, sanitary and storm sewer, sewage treatment plant, inspection and engineering.

"A public works department administered by a competent director with appropriate training and experience provides the best hope for increasing efficiency and productivity in these essential services," Cruse said.

Warfield said he thinks the city police, fire and ambulance departments, as well as the street department are all very good. He said he did not understand why Cruse feels the street department is politically motivated, when the superintendent is elected by the people.

He said he is against a public works department. Warfield also stated he thinks all department heads should live in Granite City.

"I think there should be weekly staff meetings held between the department heads and the mayor," Warfield said. "This way we can see what's going on."

Schuler said he thinks the city fire and police departments are the finest in the state of Illinois. "The ambulance service is also a good program," he said. "They are constantly updating the training of the people in the department."

He also added that although the engineering department is understaffed, the department has saved the city "tens of thousands of dollars with the sewer break repairs."

Do you believe there is adequate communication between city government, the business community and citizens?

Warfield said he feels there is a great lack of communication in the city. "The communications in this city ever since I've been here have been very low, as low as they could possibly get, I would say," he said.

He said he never gets any calls from any city official about the sewer breaks. "If I'm the mayor and the street superintendent has five breaks in three days, you can bet I'll be knocking on his door to see what I can do to help."

Schuler said he has maintained an open door policy since he became mayor in 1973. He added that one way he has attempted to improve communications with the people was to move the council meetings to the larger facility at the township hall.

"And we've been successful in that

regard because there are a lot more people who attend our meetings," he said.

Cruse said if elected, he will attempt to improve communications by conducting town hall forums, to give citizens the opportunity to question the mayor and his administration. "To get the community involved, I would appoint citizens' task forces to help in special problems," he said.

What do you believe is the proper role of municipalities within the economic development process and how does this relate to other economic development organizations?

Schuler said he thinks the role of the government is to be of assistance to those people who ask for that help. He also brought out the idea of acting as a partner with other agencies.

"For instance, when we constructed the overpass, we were partners with the state, we were partners with the federal government, we were partners with Granite City Steel and with the county," he said. "I would urge all citizens to work towards partnership and be of some assistance to their friends in town."

Cruse said he thinks the city should coordinate its efforts with those of regional and state agencies. He said the community should also "develop and maximize" its own assets.

Warfield said that he thinks the need for jobs in this area is vital. He said his role as Madison County Democratic Central Committee chairman could help the city get help through his connection with county, state and federal representatives.

"I think the issue here is jobs, jobs, jobs," he said. "The overpass for West Granite was super. It's a nice thing, but I think we've milked it to death during elections."

Please assess the current financial condition of Granite City. What action would you take to ensure the city's future financial stability?

Cruse said he thinks the financial condition of the city is "very shaky." He said four years ago, previous to the election, the city appeared to be in good condition, but after the election, the city had to borrow \$1.1 million to pay off city bills. To pay off the debt, the city imposed several tax plans.

Cruse said to insure the city's

financial stability, economy would be sought through modern efficient management and increased productivity of city employees. "I have the political courage to make the tough decision, not just raise taxes," he said. "...when elected mayor, there will be no tax without a referendum."

Warfield said he has been informed at council meetings that the city has its "head above water." He did concede, however, that the city had financial problems in the past.

"I sat on the board of aldermen the night we walked in and were told this city owed \$500,000 and yes, Von Dee (Cruse) is right, we had to go and borrow \$1.8 million to get the city out of debt," he said. "As mayor of this city you can bet that kind of debt will never ever happen under my administration."

Schuler said he feels the city is in good, but guarded, shape. "You always have to be careful because of the possibility that somewhere in the legislature, somewhere in Washington or in Springfield there will be some new costs added or some income-producing bills vetoed," he said.

He said he feels the city has some built-in guards against any possible inflationary decline and added that he thinks City Comptroller Joe Mirkovic has been a great asset to the city in their financial area.

How would you encourage the growth of Granite City, including business development and increased employment opportunities?

Warfield reiterated that his role as

Democratic Central Committee chairman would give him the connections to help bring business to the area. He also mentioned a plan that would provide for the cleanup of the city.

"You have a clean city, then you will have people come to this city," he said. "You have a city that's torn down like the city of Granite City and then you're going to have businesses move out."

Schuler said since he became mayor in 1973, the city has received \$25 million in grants from various government agencies. "Those grants have come to us in the forms of all kinds of improvements to improve the quality of life for our citizens."

He said he feels the way to get more jobs in the community is to bring industry here with the help of an economic development council. He cited a magazine article which lists a total of eight industries which have located in Granite City in the last four years.

Cruse also said he thinks the way to bring more jobs to the city is to attract business and industry to locate here. He said Granite City's image as a "dirty mill town" needs to be erased.

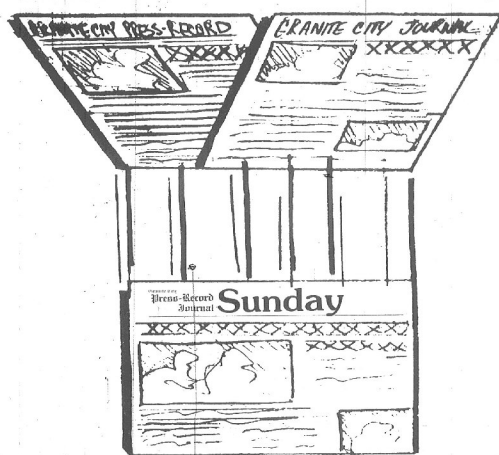
He proposed a tree-planting program for the community and one which will encourage homeowners and businessmen to keep their property painted and landscaped. He also suggested starting some type of annual community event which could revitalize community spirit.



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Police News

GIRL ALLEGES YOUTH STRIKES HER HEAD

A 16-year-old Madison girl came to the Granite City police station with her father this week and reported having been struck on the left side of the head by a youth. The incident occurred on the sidewalk outside the K-Mart store, 3555 Nameoki Road.

The girl reported going to that location to pick up another girl, a friend of the youth. The latter became angry and struck the victim, it was alleged.

Steven M. Williams, 17, of 2401 Missouri Ave., reported to the police headquarters and was charged with battery in a complaint signed by the victim's father. Williams was released after posting a \$52 cash bond.

TAKE WHEEL COVERS

Four wheel covers valued at \$250 were stolen from a 1984 TransAm, owned by Regency Leasing, 18th Street and Edison Avenue, while the vehicle was parked in the 3700 block of Nameoki Road this week.

LOOT TRUCK TRAILER

Thieves stole several items valued in excess of \$1,000 from a tractor-trailer belonging to Foxfire Enterprises, 1500 State St., while the trailer was parked on the Incon, Inc., grounds, near a large warehouse adjacent to the former General Steel Industries plant, it was reported this week.

Among the missing property were 19 chains, each 20 feet long, four ratchet binders, seven other binders and two red tarpaulins.

LOOT VENDING MACHINES

Within the past six days, between \$350 and \$400 was stolen from two soft drink vending machines at the Granite City Center, 850 Maryville Road, it was reported this week.

STEAL CAMERA GEAR

Several pieces of photo equipment and a 35 mm camera, all valued at \$200, were stolen from the home of Pam Wheeler, 2425 State St., it was reported this week. Besides the camera, also taken were three filter lenses, a flash attachment, two teleconverters, a telephoto lens and another lens, with a total value of \$550.

ALLEGES DAMAGE

Douglas E. Byrum, 20, of 644 Ashland Ave., Mitchell, was charged with criminal damage to property this week when he allegedly kicked in a plate glass window in front of Burger King, 3406 Nameoki Road. Damage was estimated at more than \$300.

PLEADS INNOCENT TO DUAL CHARGES

Dennis R. Schuereen, 32, of 2804 Cayuga St., was charged with resisting arrest and disorderly conduct when police were called to a disturbance this week at the home of Janet Schuereen, 1503 Kirkpatrick Homes.

When officers arrived, Schuereen continued to yell obscenities and voice threats and necessary force was required to handcuff him, reports alleged. In a court appearance, Schuereen pleaded innocent and was released, pending a hearing.

PLEADS INNOCENT TO DUI, TRAFFIC CHARGE

Michael J. Tolosian, 26, of 3041 Village Lane, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and disobeying a stop sign when arrested early Thursday at Pontoon and Johnson roads.

He agreed to take a blood alcohol test at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and was returned to police headquarters. In a court appearance, he pleaded innocent and was released on a \$5,900 recognizance bond.

STEAL EQUALIZER

A thief stole a 70 watt equalizer and damaged the dashboard in an effort to remove a stereo from the auto of Donald Freiner, 2560 Parkview Drive, he reported this week. When the stereo could not be removed, the equipment was deliberately smashed, reports noted.

VEHICLE PARTS GONE

The axle, drive shaft, two tires and rims and two hubcaps were stolen from a four-wheel drive vehicle being repaired at the rear of Gary Brazzell's home, 3012 Omaha St., he reported at 1:40 p.m. Thursday.

CASH MISSING

Cynthia Meyers, 718 Jackson St., Madison, who reported that her wallet was stolen from a shopping cart at Shop 'N Save food store, 3250 Nameoki Road, told police later the wallet was found in the store, but \$40 and personal papers were gone.

An AM-FM radio and cassette player worth \$100 was stolen this week from the truck of Arthur Billick, 2827 Pershing Ave.

Arrested at 20th Street and Madison Avenue last week on a warrant alleging failure to appear in court on a charge of not having a valid driver's license, Ralph V. Jenkins, 28, of 2022A Grand Ave., was released upon posting a \$52 cash bond.

REPORTS NO INJURY CAR-TRAIN MISHAP

An auto operated by Debra L. Hawkins, 26, of 2600 Angela Drive, traveling north on Edwardsville Road early Wednesday, reportedly struck a westbound Terminal Railroad engine which was entering the crossing just south of 20th Street.

The motorist was not injured, according to reports. The train engineer was Robert Wunderle of Lemay, Mo.

CANNABIS CHARGE FILED AGAINST YOUTH

Unlawful possession of cannabis was alleged against a 16-year-old Granite City youth who was arrested on Fehling Road at State Street this week.

The arrest occurred after an officer alleged seeing one youth in a group of youths standing around a car put something into his clothing.

Eighteen rolled cigarettes believed to be cannabis and a plastic bag of a green leafy substance, also allegedly cannabis, were recovered. The youth was released to his mother who posted a \$52 cash bond.

ARRESTED AT SEMC, PLEADS INNOCENT

Glen C. Dixon, 48, of 1112 Greenwood St., Madison, was charged with criminal trespass to land this week when he allegedly created problems there and was detained by security personnel until officers arrived.

The same man was chased from the hospital about 20 minutes before police were called, security officers said. In a court appearance, Dixon pleaded innocent to the criminal trespass charge and to another charge. A mittimus was issued and he was transferred Thursday to the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville.

SUSTAINS MINOR INJURY

Robert L. Voegelge, 22, of 4 Midlees Court, suffered a minor injury last week, when his Ford Pickup, heading south on Washington Avenue, struck an auto parked in front of the home of Karen Williams, 2533 Washington Ave.

BOAT MOTOR, CB TAKEN

Marlyn Ann Burns of 805 Washington Ave., Madison, told police at 1:35 p.m. Thursday that someone broke into her residence via the south side basement window. Taken were a trolling motor, a heavy duty drill, a CB base unit, a socket set and a valve.

UNLAWFUL WEAPON USE, CANNABIS CHARGE ALLEGED

Jeffrey Paul Lynn, 17, of 1914 Edwardsville Road, Madison, was arrested by police at 7:25 p.m. Thursday after he allegedly was found to have nunchucks and six cannabis cigarettes in his possession. He was charged

with unlawful use of a weapon and a unlawful possession of cannabis.

The arrest took place at Tenth Street and Lee Avenue. Lynn was released on \$204 cash.

GC CHARGE ALLEGED

Raymond Henry Long, 24, of 609 Broadway, Venice, was arrested by Madison police at 5:40 a.m. Friday and charged with speeding and held on a Granite City warrant. He was released to Granite City police at 6 a.m.

TAKE CASSETTE PLAYER

An AM-FM radio and cassette player valued at \$80 was taken in a burglary last week at the apartment of Katherine Davis, 3005 Kirkpatrick Homes.

COVERALLS STOLEN

A set of blue coveralls and a matching jacket valued at \$40, a cassette tape and cigarettes were stolen from the auto of Maurice Carney, 33807 Kirkpatrick Homes, while the vehicle was parked in the alley at the rear of Central Bank on Edison Avenue, he reported last week.

COMPLAINT IS SIGNED

Cheryl B. Brown of 313 West Second St., Madison, signed a battery complaint against a man last weekend who she said entered her home and injured her.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN

Linda D. Mosby of 215a Terry St., Madison, told police last week, that someone had taken her 1978 Chevrolet. She said she had left her

car at 25th and State streets around midnight because it wouldn't start. When she returned, the car was gone.

WALLET IS MISSING

Mary Alexander, 211 Hampden St., Venice, reported her wallet was stolen while she was shopping this week at National Food store, Madison Avenue and Nameoki Road. A total of \$150 cash, credit cards, a medical card, photos and a checkbook were in the wallet, she said.

'HOT DOGS' MISSING

Twenty-four pounds of wieners were stolen from a walk-in cooler in the Prather Elementary School cafeteria last week.

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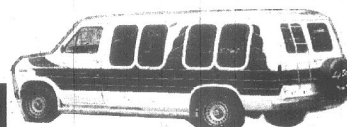
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Boy beaten as crowd watches

Officers went to the home of a 15-year-old Granite City High School student this week, whose parents reported their son sustained several injuries when involved in an altercation with another youth on school property. The victim said he was in the school smoking area when approached by the youth, 16, who accused the younger boy of causing problems for him. The 16-year-old, a non-student at the school, struck the victim several

times, it was alleged, and a struggle ensued between the two.

The older boy then left school property and was located across Nameoki Road. He was charged with criminal trespass to property on a complaint signed by an assistant principal and was released upon posting a \$52 cash bond.

It was some hours later, however, that the victim recounted the details of the incident

to his parents and police were called.

The victim had black and blue marks around both eyes and swelling was evident, reports said. Several of his teeth were broken or chipped and tooth prints and puncture marks left by the assailant were visible on his back, it alleged.

A motorist passing the high school at the time the fight was occurring called the newspaper upon arriving home and voiced his concern that an estimated

crowd of 100 to 150 students was gathered around the combatants, watching the incident.

"None of the school's monitors nor anyone in authority was present or trying to break it up," the caller contended. He tried to park his vehicle in order to force the participants to stop or to render aid, but was unable to do so due to congested traffic conditions, the local resident said.

An investigation into the incident is continuing.



COOPERATIVE VENTURE: The new and former owners of Finley Plating, 1742 State St., join hands as the plant becomes part of Chemical Specialists and Development, Inc. From left are Tom Quinley, new owner of the plant and vice president of CSD, Inc.; Judy Crider, new owner of the plant; Robert Crider, president of CSD, Inc.; William Finley Jr., operations manager of the plant, and William Finley, Sr., former plant owner.

(Staff Photo by Patrick Foley)

GC firm under new owners

Robert Crider, president of Chemical Specialists and Development, Inc., of Houston, Texas, and Charlotte, N.C., has announced the purchase of Finley Plating at 1742 State St.

The new owners of the firm are Crider's wife, Judy, and Tom Quinley, vice president of CSD, Inc. Finley Plating has been purchased from William Finley. William Finley Jr. will remain as the firm's operational manager. Crider anticipates no personnel changes.

Finley Plating plates equipment parts with zinc, tin and chrome. CSD, Inc., officially took over the operation of the firm Tuesday. In addition to the existing operation, Crider has purchased additional property behind the plant for possible future expansion.

"No final decision has been made, but we're looking at the possibility of putting in a drum manufacturing line and chemical packaging line, similar to our plants in Houston and Charlotte," Crider commented.

Crider commented. Such products would be used to package lubricating oils, brake fluids, paint thinners, cleaning compounds and detergents. Should the plant be expanded, Crider anticipates another eight jobs would be added to the plant.

The Criders, originally from Granite City, have lived in Texas the past 12 years. They are purchasing a home in Granite City.

Commodities distributed in Chouteau Township; cheese, butter, dry milk

Officials in Chouteau, Nameoki and Venice townships and the Salvation Army have announced that they will give out surplus government commodities this week.

Commodities will include: processed cheese, butter, dry milk, cornmeal and flour. The honey, cornmeal, dry milk and flour are all in short supply and persons will be asked to take their choice of one. All products will be given out on a first-come, first-served basis. To be eligible to receive commodities, persons must be residents of the township where they are getting the cheese. They must be the head of a household or the spouse, have their Social Security numbers and sign affidavits that their total household income is within the correct guidelines. Recipients should bring some proof of residency other than a driver's license. An unpaid utility bill or a voter's registration card is adequate.

Income guidelines are as follows: two persons, \$919; two persons, \$790; three persons, \$881; four persons, \$1063; five persons, \$1,244; six persons, \$1,425; seven persons, \$1,606; eight persons, \$1,788 and \$181 may be added for each additional member of the household.

Chouteau Township will begin distribution at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 20, at the Chouteau Township

Social Center, 6974 N. Thorngate Drive, Mitchell. Officials stress that the doors will not be opened until 9:30 a.m., so that they can get the program set up properly.

Venice Township will give out commodities at 9 a.m. Thursday, March 21, at Englebert Hall, 10th Street and Washington Avenue, Madison. Township officials advise that honey should not be fed to children under 12 months of age. Officials also note that there will be no discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, creed or national origin. Since butter allocations have been cut, only 256 pounds of butter will be distributed.

The Salvation Army, 3007 E. 23rd St., will begin distribution of commodities to Granite City Township residents at 9 a.m. Wednesday, March 20. A representative for the Salvation Army said commodities will be distributed even if there is inclement weather. Nameoki Township will give away commodities starting at 7:30 a.m. Thursday. Commodities will be given out at the township hall, 4250 Highway 162.

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Plan Commission OK's annexing local museum

Members of the Granite City Plan Commission okayed a request Thursday afternoon for a reclassification request for a floral shop and an annexation request from the Old Six Mile Historical Society.

Philip Theis, attorney for Ronald V. Kelih, one of the owners of Betty and Bob's Flowers and Gifts, 2156 Pontoon Road, requested that Kelih be allowed to place his shop at 2109 Pontoon Road.

Theis said that the home at 2109 Pontoon Road is currently zoned commercial but that the commercial classification does not include flower shops.

Board members agreed that since the current zoning, C-2, is less restrictive than the classification for floral shops, the addition of a floral shop in the area will be allowed.

Also approved was an annexation request from the Old Six Mile

Historical Society, to allow their museum, located at 3297 Maryville Road, into the city.

According to Dave Morgan, chairman of the commission, every tract of land surrounding the historical society's property has already been annexed into the city.

A request to review the possible annexation of the Prairie View Subdivision, was referred to the Granite City Council.

According to Morgan, the seven lots in the subdivision are 1½ miles from the city limits and are currently under county jurisdiction. They are located on Breckenridge Lane near its intersection with Lake Drive.

Morgan said he thinks the lots will eventually become part of Pontoon Beach. "I think regardless of what we do, its not going to be in Granite City anyway," he said.

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The Riverwind Storytellers and Comet Productions will bring the folklore of the South alive at Belleville Area College (BAC) during a performance from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, in the theater at BAC's Belleville campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville.

The Riverwind Storytellers combine old and modern-day folk literature into a spell-binding show. The final story, "Wicked John and the Devil," written and directed by Marilyn Kinsella, will be performed by Comet Production's drama choir. THE SHOW is free and open to the public.

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County & State

'Sparks' fly as Allen appeals judge's order

By GARY SCHNEIDER
Executive Editor

Madison County State's Attorney Dick Allen of Granite City told the Press-Record/Journal Thursday that he is filing an appeal to the orders of Circuit Judge Dennis Cashman of Quincy that the state's attorney's office pay the fees of Springfield Attorney Bruce Locher, special prosecutor assigned to prosecute former county supervisor of assessments James Barton and others.

"I am filing an appeal to the State's Attorney's Appellate Services Commission to handle the appeal in the Appellate Court," Allen said. He said he felt Judge Cashman's actions at the hearing on Locher's fees were inappropriate and that statements the judge made were "rude throughout the hearing" and improper.

Judge Cashman awarded Locher all but about \$5 of the fees he charged. Allen contends that what he knows about Locher's fees, that Locher was charging the taxpayers \$75 an hour from the time he left his Springfield home until he pulled back into the driveway and that he charged the county for such services as time spent talking to a newspaper reporter on the telephone and for a newspaper "clipping service," which was \$139 for one month. Allen said, "According to the judge, we're not allowed to question. Why are you using a clipping service? Are you building a scrapbook, or what?"

"It looks to me like he's going to make a career out of this job," Allen added. Allen said that in challenging Locher's fees, he was only "trying to verify the charges before the taxpayers pay the bill." However, he says, Judge Cashman refused to

allow his office the right of discovery, to find out "the method he used to determine the appropriateness of his fees."

According to a transcript of the hearing Feb. 25 on Locher's fees, Judge Cashman made statements indicating he was angry at Allen for not complying with a request that he testify at the hearing. The transcript quotes the judge as saying, "It seems to me that Mr. Allen should have been here. I made a request. He's not subpoenaed; that's absolutely true. He wasn't subpoenaed. I didn't decide how this case was going to proceed today...but I instructed you (said to Bruce Goldstein, assistant state's attorney) to have him here and I instructed you during a recess so he would be here when it was your turn to offer evidence and if you didn't offer evidence I could call him as a court witness."

"Now he has wittily decided not to make himself available to the court. I'm not going to hold him in contempt or cite him for contempt. I didn't subpoena him, but it's indicative of why the people of this community may question what in the world is going on here," the judge stated.

"He's an elected official. Why should he walk away from the

'I don't know if he has a conflict or not, but it amazes me what's going on...'
— Judge Cashman

court's direction that he appear today? And I'll remember that," he added.

Goldstein moved twice to strike the judge's statements from the record and Judge Cashman responded, "Make your motion. You just make it, and I'm not striking anything I said," according to the court record.

Allen cited the judge's statements that in a telephone conversation with Allen, that Allen never suggested the fees of Locher were unreasonable. "That's exactly why I called, complaining about Locher's fees," Allen said.

The transcript of the hearing quotes Judge Cashman as saying, "Ane I want the record to reflect

that I had one phone conversation with Mr. Allen and in that phone conversation I recall nothing suggesting that there was a problem of fees of Mr. Locher. In fact, Mr. Allen indicated to me in that phone conversation that he did not wish to be involved in this case if he could avoid it, or words to that effect...I don't know the extent of any further conversations and I don't want to know anything further, and the case will not be litigated over the telephone in the future nor has it really been in the past, but there have been more telephone calls to me than I would care to have taken place in this case."

Judge Cashman also said at the hearing, "If there's a problem and if

the funds of the county are so sacred...why didn't he file a petition shortly after he was elected saying, 'Hey, Judge Cashman, I don't have a conflict in this case. Would you remove Mr. Locher and appoint me?'...I don't know if he has a conflict or not, but it amazes me what's going on in this situation," the transcript quotes the judge.

It also quotes Judge Cashman said, "If they (Allen and the defendants) don't have valid points, then Mr. Locher should be able to move along with the trial and disposition of this case. The longer those indictments sit on the back burner, the longer the community will question what is really going on here, and I think that is unfortunate."

Allen says he plans to appeal the ruling that the county pay Locher's fees on several legal grounds. Allen is questioning whether Judge Cashman had the authority to hear the matter of the fees and whether he was justified in refusing the county to allow discovery "to ascertain the appropriateness of his (Locher's) fees." Allen also is appealing Cashman's ruling denying the county at least 30 days to prepare its case by denying a request for a continuance just two weeks after Locher asked the court to consider the matter of his fees.

Allen concedes that the \$75 an hour is not out of line for an appointed special prosecutor, since that is what other special prosecutors on this and other similar cases have been charging, but would like a chance to "find out his method he used for his bills."

Judge Cashman indicated his opinion on that in the transcript, saying, "Mr. Locher didn't ask for this job. And here he's been put through a proceeding today...and the bottom line isn't a matter of nitpicking issues like that. The bottom line is, are the people of this community getting what they're paying for and number two, is Mr. Locher—and has he done his job, especially up to now. If he's conducting himself inappropriately, I'm sure that will come out in a proper hearing."

"I don't like to lecture but I feel like I'm compelled to do something when I see problems that shouldn't exist," the judge added.

Wednesday, Locher asked the Illinois Supreme Court to keep Madison County judges from interfering with his authority as special prosecutor in the Barton case, saying the judges could "dismantle" the prosecution's case by dismissing the indictments or suppressing evidence if there is no immediate intervention.

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State briefs

STATE TREASURER James H. Donnewald said he is expanding his Agricultural Production Loan Deposit Program by \$50 million. Lenders will go out immediately to the qualifying banks of the additional funds available. Under the treasurer's program, banks may charge farmers no more than 2.5 percent above the rate paid the state for deposits.

LEGISLATION providing for the transfer of lottery profits and interest earnings in the State Lottery Fund to the Common School Fund will be supported by Governor James R. Thompson. Under current law, lottery proceeds are deposited in the general revenue fund. "Passage of this bill is an effort to keep faith with the citizens of Illinois, who supported the lottery with the understanding that the money would go to education," said Senator Calvin Shumaker of Prophetstown, one of the sponsors of the bill. "It removes any doubt about how lottery funds are being used."

AN INITIATIVE that offers programs for the well elderly and provides funding for assisting victims of Alzheimer's disease and their families, will be outlined for members of the Illinois Council on Aging at a meeting in Springfield on Thursday, March 21, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the State House Inn, 101 E. Adams St. The meeting is open to the public. Janet S. Otwell, director of the Illinois Department on Aging, will explain the initiative, which is included in the Department on Aging's budget request of Fiscal Year 1986 and is part of Governor Thompson's plan to "Build Illinois" with economic development funding, to "Teach Illinois" with educational funding and to "Protect Illinois" with human services funding.

A 2.1 MILLION program to strengthen services for mentally disturbed children and adolescents has been announced by the state departments of Children and Family Services (DCFS) and Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities (DMHDD).

Some 27 agencies in 17 Illinois communities will receive \$1.1 million in grants through June 30, the end of the current fiscal year, said DCFS director Gordon Johnson. He said next year's funding level for the program, called the Joint Service Children's Initiative, will be \$2.1 million.

A BALANCED budget, totalling \$12.7 billion for Fiscal Year 1985, was proposed by Governor James R. Thompson. This budget would allow Illinois to make dramatic increases in program funding in many areas of state government.

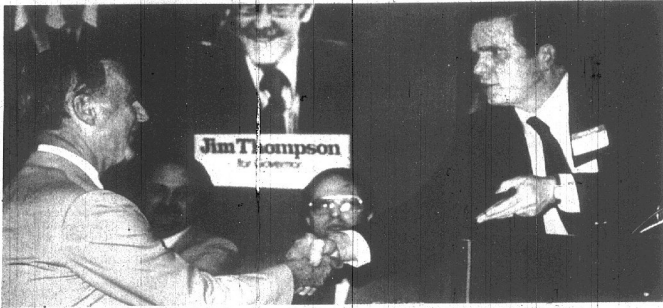
In recommending the budget levels to the General Assembly, Thompson proposed an increase of five percent in all appropriations. In state general funds, the governor recommended an appropriation level of \$9.97 billion, an increase of \$44 million.

With natural revenue growth and the revenue increases proposed for education funding, Illinois will have \$463 million available for new spending on programming in the coming fiscal year.

Homeless have friend in Dixon

Senator Alan J. Dixon (D-Illinois) has announced he will introduce legislation entitled the National Endowment for the Homeless to bring together the public and private sector to seek a lasting solution to the crisis of the hungry and the homeless.

The National Endowment for the Homeless will be a private, non-profit organization which provides grants for shelter and food for the homeless, serves as a forum and repository for information to aid the homeless, and provides grants for demonstration projects which could be duplicated throughout the nation.



LINCOLN DAY DINNER. Granite City attorney Randall Robertson, above left, is presented with a special award by Dr. Edward J. Rogsdale, chairman of the Madison County Republican Party. Hundreds of local, county and state Republicans gathered at the fifth annual GOP dinner at the Lewis and Clark Restaurant in East Alton Friday night.

(Staff photo by T. L. Wirt)

Grassroots

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:

Chouteau Town Board 7 p.m. Monday, March 18, at 697 N. Thorngate Drive
Granite City Council 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at GC Town Hall
Granite City School Board 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at 20th Adams
Venice City Council 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at Venice City Hall
Madison County Board 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 20, at County Courthouse, Edwardsville
Madison School Board 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at 1767 Fourth St.

Managing stress is SEMC topic

Stress, how it relates to cardiac illness, management techniques and relaxation exercises will be discussed by Bob Turck, SEMC social worker, at the next Coronary Club meeting on Wednesday, March 20, at 7 p.m., in the President's Room, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2100 Madison Ave., in Granite City.

Also scheduled for discussion are plans for a field trip to the Missouri Botanical Gardens and a membership drive. Annual dues for 1985 will be collected during this meeting. Fees are \$5 per year per person and \$2 per year for spouses.

The Coronary Club, open to anyone interested in learning more about heart disease, serves as a

Lottery

Results of the Illinois State Lottery were:
Wednesday, March 13: 648
Pick 4 Game: 4396
Thursday, March 14: 174
Pick 4 Game: 0809
Friday, March 15: 018
Pick 4 Game: 1651

Gitchoff seeking judgeship

John Gitchoff of Granite City is one of four Madison County attorneys who have applied for the associate judgeship being vacated by Associate Judge Thomas Hildebrand on April 15.

Gitchoff served as a circuit judge from 1971 to 1979 and has established a private law practice since leaving the bench. He is a graduate of the University of Missouri Law School and has served on the Illinois Supreme Court's Committee on Jury Instruction in Criminal Cases and

the Study Committee on Post-Conviction Procedure and Limitation of Appeals.

Other attorneys applying for the judgeship are Leonard Berg of Alton, Walter Michael Gnani Jr. of Collinsville and Kevin Blaine of Alton.

The Third Circuit judges have received ballots from the Illinois Supreme Court, and the new associate judge must receive a majority of the votes from the eight judges.

Union counselor course set March 19

The annual Union Counselor course, presented by the AFL-CIO Community Services, is scheduled to begin March 19 at the United Way Building, 2100 Edison Ave.

The purpose of the Union Counselor course is to train and equip interested persons to assist their fellow workers, friends and neighbors whenever problems are encountered. This course is

available throughout the AFL-CIO United Way community, and is tailored to reflect current needs of the respected areas.

Five sessions are planned to begin at 7 p.m. each Tuesday. Subjects for the sessions will include: rape and sexual abuse, domestic violence, chemical abuse, child abuse, and consumer abuse.

Wartburg counselor at high school

Admissions Counselor Peter Pitts of Wartburg College, Waverly, Ia., will be available to visit with prospective students at Granite City High School on Tuesday, March 19.

Pitts will be at the high school at 10:30 a.m. To schedule a visit, students are asked to contact the college offers 33 major fields of study and grants the bachelor of arts, bachelor of music, bachelor of music education and bachelor of applied arts and science degrees.

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Burglars ransacked the apartment of Lisa Hardesty, 2127 Lincoln Ave., stealing a pair of diamond earrings valued at \$250, a diamond engagement ring worth \$250, a mirror and \$241 cash, she reported at 2:59 a.m. Saturday. Entry was gained through a window, reports said.

DATSUN IS STOLEN
 A blue 1977 Datsun sedan was stolen from in front of the home of Edward E. Gerber, 2900 Circle Drive, he reported Friday.

GC COUPLE IS CHARGED SATURDAY

After a Madison County deputy sheriff reported two people were yelling and arguing in the middle of 21st Street at 6:25 a.m. Saturday, local officers talked to the pair, both of whom had blood evident about their face and hands, advising them to go home.

James Jay Hill, 35, of 2108 Washington Ave., and Pamela Simpkins, 26, of the 2100 block of Washington Avenue, later were arrested and charged with disorderly conduct.

MEGSI WARRANT


Kenneth R. Nicol, 27, of 2454 rear Missouri Avenue, was arrested at 23rd Street and Illinois Avenue at 8:45 p.m. Friday on a warrant issued through the Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Southwestern Illinois, alleging unlawful possession of cannabis with intent to deliver.

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Obituaries

Anna Basarich

Miss Anna Basarich, 66, formerly of Granite City, died at the Professional Care nursing facility in Troy, Ill., about 2 p.m. Thursday, March 14, 1985. She had been ill more than 25 years.

Prior to entering the nursing home 20 years ago, Miss Basarich resided her entire life in this community. She was born in Granite City.

Miss Basarich was of the Greek Orthodox faith.

Among the survivors are three brothers, Steve Basarich of Granite City, Nicholas Basarich of Scottsdale, Ariz., and John Basarich of Caseyville, and several nephews. Private family services were held

at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 16, at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road. There was no visitation. Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard was in charge of arrangements.

Henry Beavers

Henry Beavers, 56, of 2627 Highway 3, a retired roofer, died at 1 p.m. Friday, March 15, 1985, at Firm Desloge Hospital, St. Louis. He had been ill since Feb. 4.

Born in Watts, Okla., Mr. Beavers also lived in National Stockyards, Ill., until moving to this area in October 1983.

He was of the Baptist faith. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Donna (Dickson) Beavers; five

sons, George Beavers, Panton, Mo., Anthony Beavers, South Dakota, Leonard Beavers, St. Paul, Minn., Tom Beavers, Washington, D.C., and Floyd Beavers of Granite City; one daughter, Lynn Beavers, Granite City; two brothers, William Beavers, Herculaneum, Mo., and Johnny Beavers, Pueblo, Colo.; two sisters, Mrs. Vera Chris, Las Vegas, Nev., and Mrs. Betty Christopher, Granite City, and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Beavers, in 1972, and a son, Henry G. Beavers, in 1979. Arrangements are pending at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., telephone 877-6500.

William Mehl

Monday, March 18. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Otis Wiley Sr.



Otis W. Wiley Sr., 76, of 2154 Delmar Ave., a lifelong resident of this area, died at 8:25 p.m. Friday, March 15, 1985, at Wood River Township Hospital, where he was a patient two days. He was a resident of Colonial Haven Nursing Home for four months.

Mr. Wiley was born in Mill Creek, Ill. He was of the Protestant faith. He and his wife, Helen (Chastain) Wiley who survives, were married in 1940 in St. Charles, Mo. He was a member of the Masonic Order.

Survivors include two sons, Otis Wiley Jr., Portland, Ore., and Andrew W. Wiley of Granite City; five daughters, Mrs. Robert (Helen) Dunham, Miss Ivy Wiley, Miss Janice Wiley and Mrs. Kathleen Endicott, all of Granite City, and Mrs. Diana Knight of Vienna, Mo.; two brothers, Joe Wiley, Portland, Ore., and David Martin of Venice; 20 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., telephone 876-4321.

Lya Roberts

Mrs. Lya L. (Fetlet) Roberts, 88, of 2203 Grand Ave., Ill. for three years, died at 3:12 p.m. Friday, March 14, 1985, at Colonial Haven Nursing Home, where she resided two months.

She was born and lived in Germany until moving to this area 24 years ago. She was of the Catholic faith.

Mrs. Roberts was employed in the dietary department of St. Elizabeth Medical Center for 19 years prior to her retirement in 1982.

Her husband, Glenn Roberts, died in 1974.

Survivors include one son, Gunter Helmut of Germany; two daughters, Lydia Ursula Desai, Germany and Gerde Boyer of Amarillo, Texas, and three grandchildren.

Her remains were cremated at Memorial Park Crematory in St. Louis. Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., was in charge of arrangements.

Funeral services for William F. Feldman

A funeral mass was read at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 16, at Corpus Christi Church in Shiloh, Ill., for William F. Feldman, 73, of Shiloh, a retired welder of General Steel Industries.

He died Thursday, March 14, 1985, at Four Fountains Convalescent Center in Belleville.

Survivors include his wife, the former Helen Ann Cebulski; two sons; a sister; two half sisters and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Calvary Cemetery in Shiloh.

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Explorers

Before a gathering of more than 200 family members, former members and friends of Explorer Post 10-4 in Madison recently, the new senior officers of the Post for 1985 presented a plaque to Illinois Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan, above. The state official, guest speaker at the Post's annual Family Night, was given the distinction of honorary member of Post 10-4. Left to right are Post President Mark Foley, presenting Hartigan with the plaque, Alan Lewis, first vice president, and David Richey, second vice president. A highlight of the annual event was the presentation of the Post officers for 1985. Madison County Deputy Sheriff Gary Marsala, at podium, a former member of the Post and now an adult advisor for the Post, introduces the new officers. Left to right in the front row are Joe Kusmierczak, secretary; Jim Small, treasurer, and Donald Graham, senior squad leader. Next to Marsala, left to right, are Foley, Lewis and Richey, the senior officers of the low enforcement Explorer Post.

Business group marks milestone

"We are very pleased with what has been accomplished since the Southwestern Illinois Area-wide Business Development Finance Corporation was organized three years ago," said Ron Wallace, president and charter member of the organization.

The group now have more than 90 members, including small business owners, chambers of commerce, banks and units of local government.

"Because the SIABDFC is supported by small servicing fees and contributions, it is worth mentioning that 40 of our members have made contributions ranging from \$100 to \$10,000. The newest members making financial commitments to the organization are General Bank of Belleville, Hamel State Bank and Eagle Bancorp," Wallace noted.

"Because our 16-member board of directors and membership represent the seven Southwestern Illinois Counties of Bond, Clinton, Madison, Monroe, Randolph, St. Clair and Washington, we have actually developed a very effective network for assisting small businesses with their financing needs and, thus, creating jobs across a large geographic area.

"Using the SBA 503 program, which combines public and private financing with the small business owners' equity, the SIABDFC has created loans to 10 businesses and created over 300 new jobs in the region since July 1983," he added.

Two loans have been finalized so far this year, creating over 120 new jobs and leveraging nearly \$1 million in private financing. The

new businesses are Dohack's of Fairview Heights, a family restaurant, and Little Nashville Inc., a truck stop-restaurant located at I-64 and Ill. 127 in Nashville.

Additional information about the services the SIABDFC provides to small businesses or membership in the organization may be obtained by calling Rod Wilhelm or Debbie Groeteka at 344-4080.

Cordie Ramsey

Mrs. Cordie M. (Wilson) Ramsey, 68, of Bridgeton, Mo., formerly co-owner of Ramsey Grocery Store, which was located at 25th and Benton streets, died at 4 p.m. Thursday, March 14, 1985, at DePaul Hospital in St. Louis. She was hospitalized for four days.

Mrs. Ramsey was born in Palestine, Ark., and lived almost all her lifetime in Bridgeton. She was of the Protestant faith.

Her husband, Gerald Ramsey died April 7, 1982. They operated the business for many years until retiring in 1976.

Survivors include one son, Edward Bibb of St. Ann, Mo.; a sister, Mrs. Jane Werner, and one grandchild.

Visitation will begin at 5 o'clock tonight at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m.

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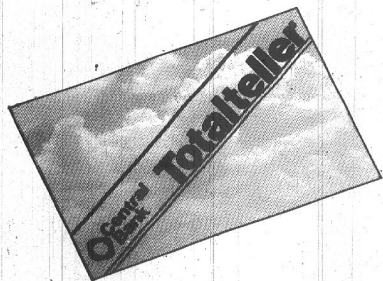
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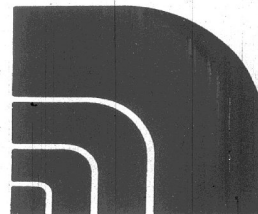
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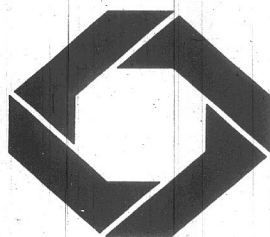
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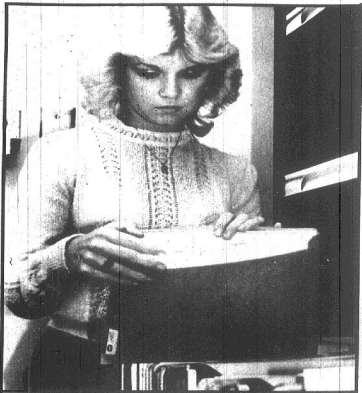
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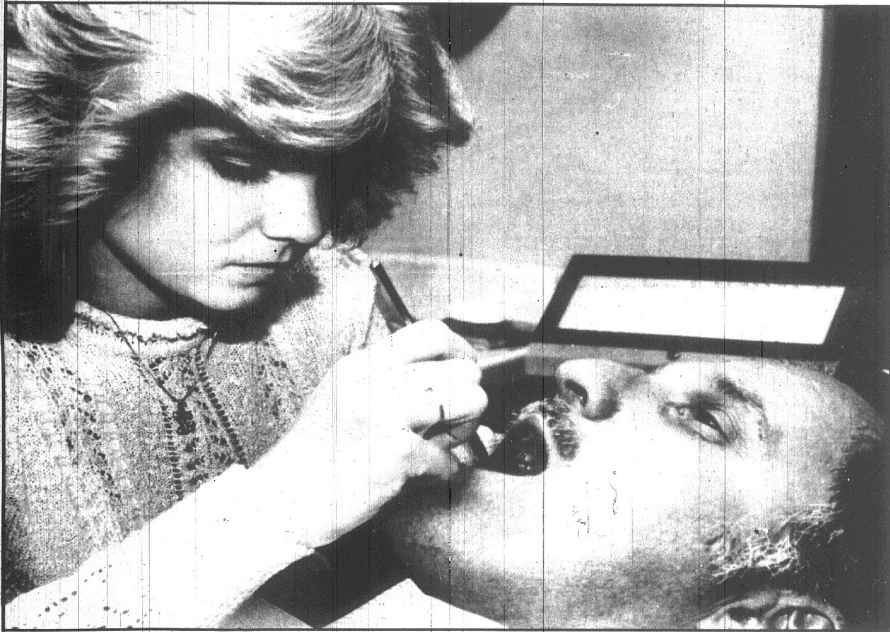
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Learning and Earning



CHECKING A DENTAL PROCEDURE is part of the hands-on experience Kathy is exposed to daily.

Story and photos
by PATRICK FOLEY

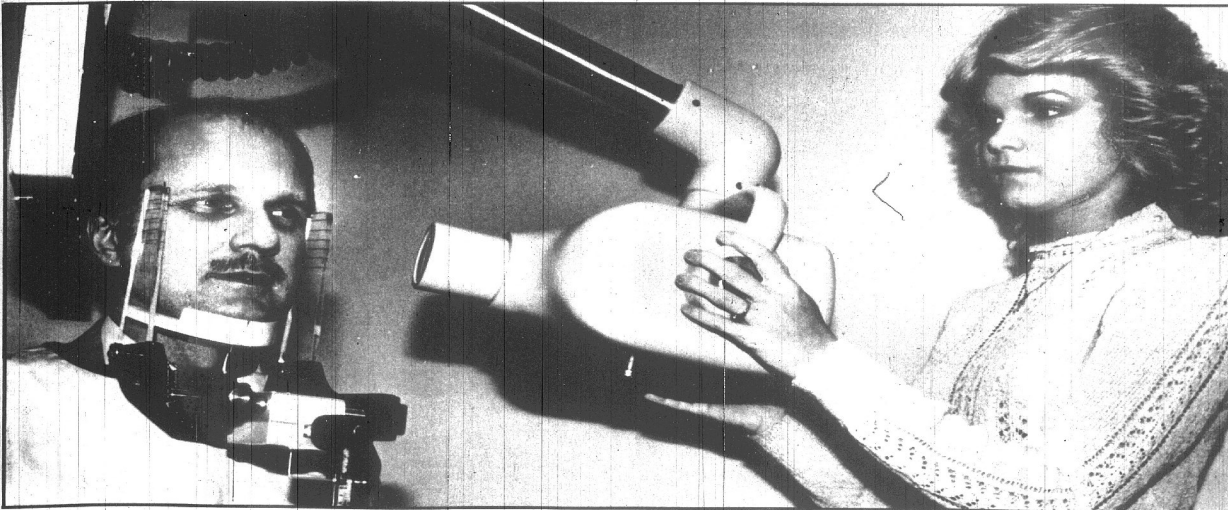
Kathy Hutchings never thought of a career in the allied health occupations field, especially as a dental hygienist, that is before her involvement with the Off-Campus vocational education program at Granite City High School. But her sights for the future are now aimed at just that.

The 17-year-old GCHS senior is presently employed at the offices of Dr. Jack Miller, DDS, 3100 Maryville Road. She divides her time now between her classes at the school and several hours each day at the dentist's office. To be able to fulfill the requirements for graduation this spring and work parttime during the school year, she had to enroll in classes last summer.

The Off-Campus education program at the school has served approximately 1,200 students, more than half of which have been hired in the same field as their training in the program. Don Shaffner, coordinator of the program, is especially proud of the employment rate of students in the allied health occupations field. "We have 100 percent placement of students who participate in these Off-Campus education programs," Shaffner said.

Kathy is already planning to attend Lakeland College this fall, a two-year institution in Mattoon, Ill., where she will study to be a dental hygienist. The hands-on experience she is now learning has helped her to decide what she wants to do with her future. "The Co-Op program has given me the opportunity to be in a dentist's office and see first-hand what career opportunities there are available."

She added, "I don't understand how anyone could pick this field (dental hygienist) without exposure to it, like I'm getting now, before going on to school."



PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT as Kathy adjusts a Panorex X-ray machine, using Off-Campus Education Coordinator Don Shaffner as her subject.

Calendar

Meetings

THE GRANITE CITY Business and Professional Women will conduct a dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, at Charlie's Restaurant. Issues management will be the topic discussed. All working women in the Quad-City area are invited to attend. For reservations, interested persons may call Joyce at 876-2224 or Lil Marzluft at 452-1337.

THE CREATIVE Women Unit of Home Extension Association will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, March 18. Anyone interested in becoming a member is advised to call 797-6422.

CONCERNED Citizens will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, March 18, at the Polish Hall, 826 Greenwood St., Madison. The meetings are open to the public, and the purpose is to discuss the operation of the city of Madison.

THE FIRST Reunion committee for the 1981 Granite City High School North Graduating class will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, March 18, at the Granite City Center, Room 512. For more information, interested persons may call Patty Morris between 6 and 10 p.m. at 877-1151.

THE MADISON School District's Parents' Advisory Council meeting will be conducted at 6 p.m. Monday, March 18, in the Madison High School auditorium, Sixth and Farish streets.

THE SOUTHWESTERN Audubon Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at the First Federal Savings and Loan, 300 St. Louis St., Edwardsville. The public is invited to attend.

THE PONTOON Beach Senior Citizens' Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at the Senior Citizens' Center, 3910 Highway 111. Entertainment will be provided by American folk dancers. Refreshments will be served.

THE VENICE LIONS Club will conduct its first zone meeting and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 18. Tickets to the dinner cost \$7 per person.

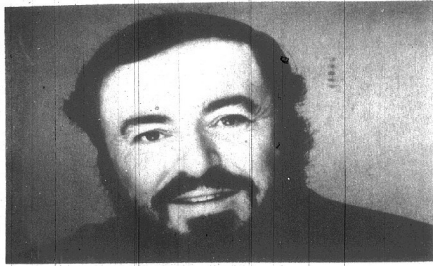
JIM GREYS, staff attorney for the Guardianship and Advocacy Commission, will be the featured speaker at a meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, of the Parents for Special Education. The session will be conducted at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

THE LA LECHE League will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 20, at 36 Eduardo Drive. Information on nutrition, starting a baby on solids and weaning will be discussed. For more information, interested persons may call 831-6774 or 876-2158.

NEIL SIMON'S play, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," will be presented by the Muncy at the American Theatre March 19 through 30. Performance times are 8 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, 7 p.m. Sundays and 2 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Tickets range in price from \$16.90 to \$22.90.

LUCIANO FAVAROTTI will present a concert at the Arena in St. Louis on Thursday, March 21. For more information or to make reservations, interested persons may call 314-534-1700.

THE SAINT LOUIS Symphony Orchestra will present its third Young People's Concert, titled "Simply Beethoven," at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 20, at



Powell Symphony Hall, 718 N. Grand Blvd., St. Louis. Tickets for the event are \$2.50. For additional information, interested persons may call 1-314-533-2500, extension 292.

Getting active

THE MITCHELL Athletic Club will register both boys and girls for its summer leagues from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, March 18, at the Mitchell Elementary School gymnasium. To register, children must have their seventh birthday this year and they can be no older than 15 this year. The fee for registering is \$15 for the first child and \$10 for each additional child in the same family. Persons seeking further information should contact Myron Merz at 931-1218.

THE 55-ALIVE Driving Course will be offered to persons age 55 and older from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, March 19 through 21, at Granite City Center, 4500 Maryville Road. The cost is \$7 per person and must be paid on the first night of the class. For further information or to register, seniors may call 876-3223.

Culinary fare

THE GRANITE CITY High School Boosters Club has scheduled two nights as the dates for its winter sports banquets. Beginning at 6 p.m. each night, the Warriors girls' basketball and boys' wrestling teams will be honored on Monday, March 18, on Wednesday, March 20, the Warriors will honor their basketball team. Both affairs will be in the high school cafeteria.

THE WOMEN of the Moose, Chapter 247, will host a noon luncheon on Monday, March 18, at the

Moose Lodge, with proceeds to be donated to the Mooshaven Mary Rayhell project. Cost of the tickets is \$3 per person.

THE GATEWAY Business and Professional Women's Organization will host a "Public Relations" dinner meeting at Buck and Jan's Den, 24th and State streets, on Monday, March 18, starting with a cocktail hour at 3:30 p.m. All area working women and the public are being invited to attend. Reservations costing \$12 per person can be made by calling Lillian Naeve between 6 a.m. and 3 p.m. at 451-9590, or 452-0487 after 5 p.m.

THE GRANITE CITY Optimist Club will host a pancake and sausage brunch from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. today, March 17, at 2165 Amos Ave. Admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children age 12 and under.

CORNERED BEEF and cabbage will be served during St. Patrick's Day celebration with Granite City mayoral candidate Von Dee Cruse. The event will be conducted from 1 to 3:30 p.m. today, March 17, at Moose Lodge, 19th and Adams streets.

A **CORNERED** BEEF and cabbage dinner will take place from noon to 6 p.m. today, March 17, in the basement of St. Mark Catholic Church, Sixth Street and Broadway, Venice. The all-you-can-eat dinner will include dessert and beverage for \$4.25 for adults and \$2 for children younger than 12. Carryouts will be available.

Other events

A SENIOR CITIZENS Fair will be conducted from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, March 18, in the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Reservations may be made and other information obtained by calling 1-692-3454.

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Local Eagles enjoy Alton Club

The March meeting of Illinois District 7 Fraternal Order of Eagles, was hosted by Alton Aerie 254, with John Piper, director 1 Wood River Aerie 2773 and Granite City Aerie 1126, opening the meeting.

The meeting was then continued by the district members reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag led by pro-tem conductor Bud Shaffer, Granite, followed by the presentment of the Bible and Eagle by Shaffer.

Opening prayer was given by pro-tem chaplain Bob Colbert, Alton, and reports were given by Carl Buehler, Granite, secretary of the district, Ellis Wiseman, Shiloh 515, treasurer, and Virgil Gibson, Collinsville 1051, trustee.

Roll call of district officers was taken by Carl Buehler, assisted by Bud Shaffer. Officers included, John Piper, director, Bob Stanton, past junior director, pro-tem Marvin Accord, Alton, Guido Gasperin, vice president Collinsville, Harold R. Love, chaplain Granite, pro-tem Bob Colbert, Alton, Jim Whirlidge, conductor Shiloh pro-tem Bud Shaffer, Neil Haida, inside guard Belleville pro-tem Bill Lepping, Alton, Carl Buehler, secretary, Ellis Wiseman, treasurer Shiloh, and Fritz Hofarth, Shiloh, and Virgil Gibson, Collinsville, trustees.

Director Piper introduced Carl Buehler as past Illinois State Eagle of the Year, and Randy Odom, past junior president from Granite City, announced that past junior director Bob Stanton (Granite), chaplain Harold Love (Granite), and conductor Jim Whirlidge (Shiloh and Granite) were absent from this meeting because they were attending the Central Illinois Zone 2 conference in Streator, Ill.



Piper then asked Shaffer to announce the number of candidates to be initiated into the Alton and Collinsville Aeries. Shaffer reported new members of the Alton Aerie were Ernest Luebbers, James Maxwell, Lawrence Maxwell, Phillip Manescaló, Brian McBride, Jessie Thomine, Edward Anderson, Anthony Felker, Andrew Brass, and Robert Ramshaw, and initiated into the Collinsville Aerie was Bruce Gibson.

Members of the initiating ritual team and the office they held were, past director, Marvin Accord; director, Wilford Nickoly; vice director, Art Wesloch all of Alton; conductor, Bud Shaffer of Granite City, inside guard, Bill Lepping and chaplain, Bob Colbert both of Alton.

Alton president Ken Elledge told the district members and new Eagle members that a meal was being prepared for all district members and their guests following the meeting. He then invited the district members to visit the Alton Aerie.

Collinsville announced that their Aerie would host the next District 7 meeting at 2 p.m. on April 21.

Shaffer read a resolution that Reye's Syndrome be established as a Grand Aerie Eagles charity fund. Randy Odom made a motion to that affect which was seconded by Fritz Hofarth, Shiloh, and passed.

Piper asked for a moment of silent prayer for the late Eagle members Felix Yost of the Alton Aerie, and Edward Harris of the Shiloh Aerie.

It was reported that the May meeting for District 7 was open due to a fire which destroyed the Belleville Eagles Home on Saturday, March 9.

Piper closed the meeting followed the closing ceremony conducted by Bob Colbert, Marvin Accord both of Alton, and Guido Gasperin of Collinsville.

JTPA GOAL IS EMPLOYMENT
The goal of the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA), according to a U.S. Department of Labor fact sheet, is to move trainees into permanent, self-sustaining employment.

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LIA SALEM

Salem dancers win awards

Several first place awards were attained by members of the Dance '85 Company from Salem Dance Centre in the Regency Regional Talent competition held this week at the Stratford House Inn in St. Louis County.

Winning top awards for their novelty dance sequence, "Square," were Jenna Epperson, Jamie Bucatch, Vicky Edrington, Tracy Perkins, Lisa Owens, Missy Kozak, Becky Kozak, Becky Garcia and Lia Salem.

Their award winning performance enables the local dancers to advance to national competition, scheduled in July at the St. Louis Marriott Hotel.

In future weeks, the local dance troupe will sponsor several fund-raising activities to help defray the cost of entrance fees, costumes and photographs, it was learned.

The Dance '85 Company will be performing at Alton Square Shopping Mall in May and at Northwest Plaza Shopping Center in June.

The group also offers free entertainment to area clubs and other organizations. Additional information may be obtained by calling 931-3671, or 451-8816, Mrs. Salem advised.

Five Star Club views Hawaiian tour

The Five Star Club of Central Bank viewed a slide tour of Hawaii, with Barbara Godin of Granite City, as narrator. Included in the tour was Waikiki Beach, Royal Lahaina Resort on Maui, Kona Beach on the side of Oahu, and snorkeling in Paradise cove. She explained how the islands were formed by eruption of volcanoes on the ocean floor, and slides depicting the active volcanoes are made at night, so they will show the brilliant colors. The Fern Grotto was very fascinating, not only the beauty but, the fact that 24 to 40 inches of rain per month falls on that part of the island. Many of the scenes were places where "South Pacific" was filmed on location, she added.

Emylee Alford, club coordinator, reminded the group to register for the upcoming trips to "Champaign Brunch" at Fairmont Race track, Sunday, March 24th, to cost \$21, and the Cardinal baseball game, April 24th, cost \$7. Reservations can be made by calling her at 876-1212, and guest are welcome. Brochures giving details about the 4-day, three night tour of "Wisconsin Dolls" were distributed. The cost is \$239 and departure will be June 18th.



BARBARA GODIN

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Assisting in the lower intermediate division are: Carol Gendron of Parkview School, chairman; Jane Isenbarg of GCHS and Carol Locke of Parkview, judges, and Helen Cook of GCHS, pronouncer.

Assisting in the upper intermediate division are: Wilma Bony of Prather, chairman; Loretta Woolbright of Parkview and Jerry Rhodes of GCHS, judges, and Donna Clow of GCHS, pronouncer.

Others assisting are Warren Collins, coordinator of the Gifted Program, Richard Brinkhoff, administrative assistant of instructional services, and Gary Piroender, director of Chapter I services.

Winners and first-runners-up in the spelling bee will receive trophies.

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Edith Wofford entertains club

Mrs. Edith Wofford of 2106 Ohio Ave., entertained members of the Rollettes Club in her home for the monthly social.

Three winning prizes were Kathy Chandler and Joyce Walter.

Others attending were Jeannette Wilson, Helen Waffield, Evelyn Gor-

don, Kathleen Wofford and Connie Tinsley, and guests, Reata Radafeld, Hazel Vaughn, Fern Campbell and Mary Ann Ramsey. Mrs. Gordon invited the group to meet in her home for the April meeting.

Organ Pedalers to hear Mitch Miller

Betty Applegate, grand pedaler, opened the monthly meeting of the A.O.A. Organ Pedalers Club at National School of Music, 2109 Cleveland Blvd. Irene Daves provided refreshments on the table decorated in a Valentine's Day motif.

Hearts and Flowers and Love theme selections were played by Betty Applegate, Dorothy Alsop, Wilma Cooper, Irene Daves, Burel Schmisser and Carolyn Belling. To entertain the club members, Richard McGee a visitor from Wood River, playing only since Dec. 1984, performed in front of an audience for the first time. Another visitor, Peggy Louchs of Long Beach, Calif., sister of Betty Applegate; Fern House and Dorothy Bertram, and Harvey House also attended.

Burel Schmisser told the group about going to Powell Symphony Hall to hear Mitch Miller and Rose Mary Cloney. Before the group was dismissed, Schmisser gave a very informative talk on building chords of single note melodies.

The next meeting will be held March 18th at 7 p.m. at school. Anyone playing or interested in organ music and fellowship is invited to attend.

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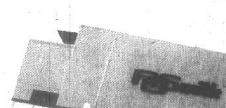
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Entertainment



Foggy River Boys coming to Godfrey

Returning by popular demand, the Foggy River Boys will perform music in Hatheway Hall on the Lewis and Clark Community College Campus in Godfrey on March 23.

Inheritors of a colorful music tradition established in the 1940s and carried on through the 1960s by the original Jordanaires of Nashville's "Grand Ol' Opry," the Foggy River Boys have expanded the Jordanaires repertoire to embrace vir-

tually every popular type of vocal and instrumental music.

Shows are scheduled for 6 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6 per person and \$5 per senior citizens and groups of ten or more for the 6 p.m. performance.

Tickets are available at Lewis and Clark College Bookstore; Halpin's Music Company, Alton; State Bank of Jerseyville; Curiosity Shop, Alton; Home Federal Savings and Loan, Alton; and Hanlon and Haegle, Alton.

Midwest dance challenge is issued

The Sixth Annual Midwest Challenge dance competition will be hosted by Midwestern United States Imperial Club Inc. of Collinsville on March 23 in Collinsville.

Couples from seven states are expected to compete for recognition and trophies in the largest dance competition held in the United States. Approximately 45 couples will compete in both novice division and open division. All couples will perform in costume and a trophy will be presented for best costume in each division.

On March 22, approximately 1,500 people are expected to descend on Collinsville for a weekend of fun, socializing and dancing.

The Sixth Annual Challenge will be held at the Fireman's Hall in Collinsville, which boasts one acre under roof, with a seating capacity of 1500 and a 5,000 square foot dance floor, the largest dance hall in the area.

The Midwest Challenge was born in 1979 when dance clubs from Tulsa, St. Louis and Collinsville were participating in a dance contest and challenged each other to a competition. Rules were created. Formal, rigid training was held for judging and couples began practicing for the challenge. The challenge can only be

hosted by these three clubs and the challenge is alternated between Tulsa, St. Louis and Collinsville, although clubs from many other states are invited to compete in the challenge.

Each year the competition gets bigger, better and more exciting and the dancers get better. Not only can couples show their dancing ability, they learn new moves, make new friends and participate in an event they'll remember throughout their lifetimes.

There are approximately 3,000 members of Swing and Imperial Dance Clubs throughout the Metro-East area and all clubs feature reciprocal memberships. MUSIC is a not-for-profit group formed in 1978. Imperial style dance lessons are given at no charge on alternate Sunday evenings at the K of C Hall in Collinsville, from beginner to advanced levels. Everyone is welcome to attend and no partner is necessary. For info on the club, interested persons may contact Sherry Sims Geaschel at 344-1721 or John Sims at 344-6646. MUSIC has a membership of approximately 125 members.

Couples for the challenge include Dale Kougley from Collinsville and Sherry Lawson of St. Louis; Rosie Davidson of Granite City and Larry

Campbell of Wood River; Dave and Beth Blackwell of St. Louis and Pete and Sue Bastis of St. Louis.

All of these couples will represent MUSIC at the Midwest Challenge.

A dance routine takes many hours of practice, sometimes 100 to 150 hours or more to choreograph and practice a routine used in competition.

Winners receive trophies, not money or prizes. They are dancing for recognition, satisfaction and self-esteem.

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Rob Reiner's "THE SURE THING" (M) 7:00-9:00	7 Academy Award Nominations "THE KILLING FIELDS" (M) 7:00-9:00

The next annual challenge will be held in St. Louis in 1986 and the next Collinsville challenge will be in 1988.

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Pavarotti concert Thursday

Luciano Pavarotti, the living legend considered by some the greatest operatic tenor ever, will appear in a special benefit concert with the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra March 21 at the St. Louis Arena.

The concert will benefit the symphony, St. Mary's Special School for Exceptional Children and the St. Vincent Pallotti Center for lay volunteer service.

Pavarotti made his first American recital appearance in 1973 in Liberty, Mo., and ten years later appeared in a reunion concert in Kansas City. The March 21 performance marks the first time Pavarotti has ever appeared within a 250-mile radius of the St. Louis metropolitan area.

The concert will be conducted by Emerson Buckley, music director of the Fort Lauderdale Symphony and artistic advisor and principal conductor of the Greater Miami Opera.

Tickets to this special benefit performance are priced at \$50 each and are 50 percent tax deductible. Patron tickets are \$250 and are also

30 percent tax deductible. In addition to choice seating, a patron ticket entitles the holder to free reserved parking and attendance at a private reception with Pavarotti following the concert.

The concert begins at 8 p.m.

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Clogging classes offered

Classes in clog dancing will be offered at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh Street and Lee Avenue, beginning at 7 p.m. April 4. Margie Levi, who leads a clogging class there now, will teach the beginner's clogging class.

According to Mrs. Levi, the clogging dance style began with the Puritans. "Entertainment was quite different in the 1700s, and people were not allowed to use musical instruments or to dance. These forms of activity were considered tools of the devil.

"Being fidgety, as children always are, the Puritan children concocted 'play party games.' The adults approved of these 'games' as they were not dances. Without musical instruments to keep time, the children

turned to foot stomping and hand clapping to provide a beat. As the rigidity of the religions lessened and the people started to move to new areas, the games of the children became more involved and the foot-work got fancier."

Mrs. Levi explains that the melting-pot region of the United States, known as Appalachia, is where clogging became established. "As clogging became more popular, it fast became the main form of entertainment of the wagon trains. It was fun to do and provided body heat. It was also a great way to meet your next-door wagon," she said.

The cost of the class beginning April 4 is \$6 for the six-week session. For further information, interested persons may call Mrs. Levi at 1-836-7374.

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Around the Kitchen



Fruit

Fresh Fruit salads enticing way to put on spring colors

It is time to color food like springtime. There is no better way than with bright fresh fruit salads. Many popular fruits, especially citrus, are available during these months. Salads like Waldorf, fruited-slaw and ambrosia make excellent menu additions, providing important nutrients, as well as flavor and color.

For a luncheon or entree salad, combine three popular fruits — bananas, crisp apples, and sweet, juicy oranges. Add additional color with any of the varieties of grapes and salad greens available.

To accent this fruit entree salad, try a pineapple-flavored dressing. It's crunchy with nuts and delicately accented with freshly grated orange peel. Grated citrus peel can add a "fresh" tang to many foods, including sauces, dressings, desserts and baked goods.

Lemon Cake Muffins acquire their lemony goodness with both fresh lemon juice and grated peel. These are especially good when served with any luncheon fresh fruit salad.

Fruit Salad
With Pineapple Dressing
1 can (8 oz.) crushed pineapple, well drained

1 carton (8 oz.) vanilla yogurt
Grated peel of ½ fresh orange
¾ cup chopped nuts
3 oranges, peeled, cut in car- wheels
2 red apples, unpeeled, sliced
2 bananas, sliced
Green and red grape clusters
Salad greens

To make salad dressing, combine drained pineapple, yogurt and orange peel; chill. To serve, stir in nuts.

On four individual serving plates, arrange oranges, apples, bananas and grapes on salad greens. Serve with salad dressing.

Lemon Cake Muffins
1 cup flour
1 tsp. baking powder
¼ tsp. salt
½ cup butter or margarine, softened
¾ cup plus ¼ cup sugar
2 eggs, separated

Beat egg whites until foamy; gradually add remaining ¼ cup sugar, beating until soft peaks form. Gently fold egg whites and lemon peel into batter. Spoon batter into 8 to 9 paper-lined 2½ x 1¼-inch muffin cups, filling about three-fourths full. Sprinkle with cinnamon topping, made by combining sugar and cinnamon.

Bake at 375° for 18 to 20 minutes until lightly browned.
Makes 8 to 9 muffins.

Juice of 1 fresh lemon
Grated peel of ½ fresh lemon
Cinnamon Topping
1 tsp. sugar
¼ tsp. cinnamon
Sift together flour, baking powder and salt.

In large bowl, cream butter; gradually add ¼ cup sugar, beating until light and fluffy.

With electric mixer, beat egg yolks until thick and lemon-colored; stir into creamed butter. Add flour mixture alternately with lemon juice.

Beat egg whites until foamy; gradually add remaining ¼ cup sugar, beating until soft peaks form. Gently fold egg whites and lemon peel into batter. Spoon batter into 8 to 9 paper-lined 2½ x 1¼-inch muffin cups, filling about three-fourths full. Sprinkle with cinnamon topping, made by combining sugar and cinnamon.

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Short and easy recipes

Spicy-sweet dips

add zest to chicken

Dunk bite-size chicken kabobs in one of the following tasty dips:

For Zesty Honey Dip, combine 1 cup honey, 1 teaspoon dry mustard and ¼ teaspoon ground ginger in small bowl. Serve at room temperature. Makes 1 cup dip.

For Fruit and Cinnamon Dip, place 1 can (8 oz.) sliced peaches, drained, ½ cup applesauce and ¼ teaspoon cinnamon in a blender.

Blend until smooth. Serve at room temperature or chill 30 minutes before serving. Makes 1 cup dip.

Ah-so-good skillet

In a 10-inch skillet over medium heat, brown ½ pound ground beef. Add and cook until tender 1 cup each thin diagonally sliced carrots and celery. Stir to separate meat; pour off fat.

Stir in 1 can (10½ oz.) beefy mushroom soup and 1 can (10½ oz.) beef broth, 3 cups uncooked fine noodles, ½ cup water, ¼ cup chili sauce and 1 tablespoon soy sauce. Heat to boiling.

Reduce heat to low. Cover; simmer 5 minutes. Stir occasionally. Makes 5 cups or 4 servings.

Boiled grapefruit

topping unique

Top each grapefruit half with one of the following:

2 tsp. brown sugar
1 tsp. maple-flavored syrup or apricot preserves
2 tsp. orange, almond or coffee-flavored liqueur

2 tsp. sugar and 1 tsp. rum
2 tsp. sugar and dash ground cinnamon

1 tsp. each peanut butter and honey
1 tsp. each brown sugar and chopped nuts

Place in broiler 4 to 5 inches from source of heat. Broil until bubbly, in cold broiler 6 to 8 minutes or in preheated broiler 3 to 4 minutes.

Dip into avocado

In food processor bowl or blender, place 1 ripe avocado, 1 tablespoon softened cream cheese and 1½ cups milk; process to puree.

Stir in 2 tablespoons each finely chopped parsley and green onion tops, 1 teaspoon each seasoned salt and seasoned pepper and 1 tablespoon each white wine vinegar, lemon juice and salad oil. Blend thoroughly. Cover and chill for 1 hour.

Makes 2 cups.

Skillet Italiano,

a snap to make

For a quick and easy meal try Skillet Italiano. In large skillet, brown 1 pound ground beef and ½ medium onion, chopped; drain.

Add 1 package (1½ oz.) spaghetti sauce seasoning with mushrooms, 1 can (14½ oz.) tomato sauce and 1 package (10 oz.) frozen Italian-cut green beans; mix well. Cover and simmer 20 minutes.

Add seasoned salt to taste. Top with 1 cup grated Cheddar cheese; cover and heat until cheese melts. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Ham on hash browns

Prepare one (12 ounce) package frozen shredded hash browns according to package directions. After turning, cut each brick in half.

Season with pepper to taste. Fry until crisp and brown.

Remove hash browns from skillet and place on broiler pan. Top each hash brown with two slices of ham, cut to size, slice of Swiss cheese, slice of tomato and avocado. Broil until cheese melts. This dinner for four is complete with soup and rolls and brownies for dessert.

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Soup

Hot soup is welcome in any kind of weather

No matter what the weather, a creamy soup is welcome on the table. Spring may be known for bright sunny days, but there also can be bluster in the wind and a chill in the ground.

These soups are suited to the four seasons, but can be used year-round. Their ingredients are convenient, right down to the part that supplies the creaminess, frozen non-dairy creamer. Like the other ingredients, it is inexpensive and can be kept on hand in the freezer for soup or in its more traditional use, as part of desserts. It is used by some people allergic to dairy products.

A spring soup might be tangy, cool and refreshing. Puree-of-Lemon Soup. It makes a light, chilled accompaniment for light luncheons and dinners. Orange-Raspberry Bisque sounds summery, but its spring-like colors cool any schedule that needs a pick-me-up in a hurry. Sherried Pumpkin Soup and Parsley Creamy Soup are warm and hearty. They would make an elegant first course, warm and easy brunch offering or a great sidekick for a burger.

Puree-With-Lemon Soup
2 tsp. butter
2 medium carrots, grated
¼ cup minced onion
¾ cup chicken broth
1 tsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. grated lemon peel
¾ cup frozen non-dairy creamer, thawed

Delish hot pepper sauce
Salt and white pepper to taste
Melt butter in heavy medium saucepan over low heat. Add grated carrots and minced onion. Cover and cook five minutes, stirring occasionally.
Blend in chicken broth, lemon juice and peel. Cover and cook 15 minutes, stirring occasionally.
Add thawed non-dairy creamer and heat.
Transfer to blender and puree until smooth.
Season with hot pepper sauce, salt and pepper to taste. Chill.
Garnish with lemon slices or parsley.
Makes 3 to 4 servings.

Orange-Raspberry Bisque
2 cups frozen non-dairy creamer, thawed
1 (10-oz.) pkg. frozen raspberries, thawed
1 (8-oz.) can frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed
Place creamer, raspberries and juice in blender. Process on high until smooth, about one minute. Chill.
Garnish with orange slice or grated orange peel.
Makes 4 servings.

Sherried Pumpkin Soup
2 tsp. butter
¼ cup chopped onion
2 cups chicken broth
¼ tsp. ginger
¼ tsp. nutmeg
¼ tsp. pepper
1 (16-oz.) can pumpkin
¾ cup frozen non-dairy creamer, thawed
½ cup sherry

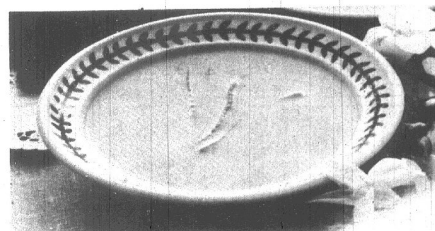
Melt butter in heavy saucepan over medium high heat. Add onions and cook until soft, but not browned.
Blend in broth, ginger, nutmeg and pepper. Bring to a boil.
Add pumpkin; blend and heat thoroughly.
Add thawed non-dairy creamer and sherry; blend and heat.
Makes 4 servings.

Parsley Creamy Soup
1 tsp. butter
¾ cup fresh parsley leaves, minced
1 cup chicken broth
½ cup grated potato, peeled
½ tsp. dried chervil
¾ cup frozen non-dairy creamer, thawed

Pinch of nutmeg
Salt and white pepper
Melt butter in heavy medium saucepan. Add parsley; stir until wilted, about five minutes.

Add broth, grated potato and chervil; increase heat and bring to a boil. Reduce heat. Cover and simmer 20 minutes.
Puree in blender. Add thawed non-

dairy creamer, nutmeg, salt and white pepper. Reheat over low heat. Garnish with parsley sprigs and serve.
Makes about 2 servings.



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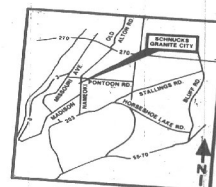
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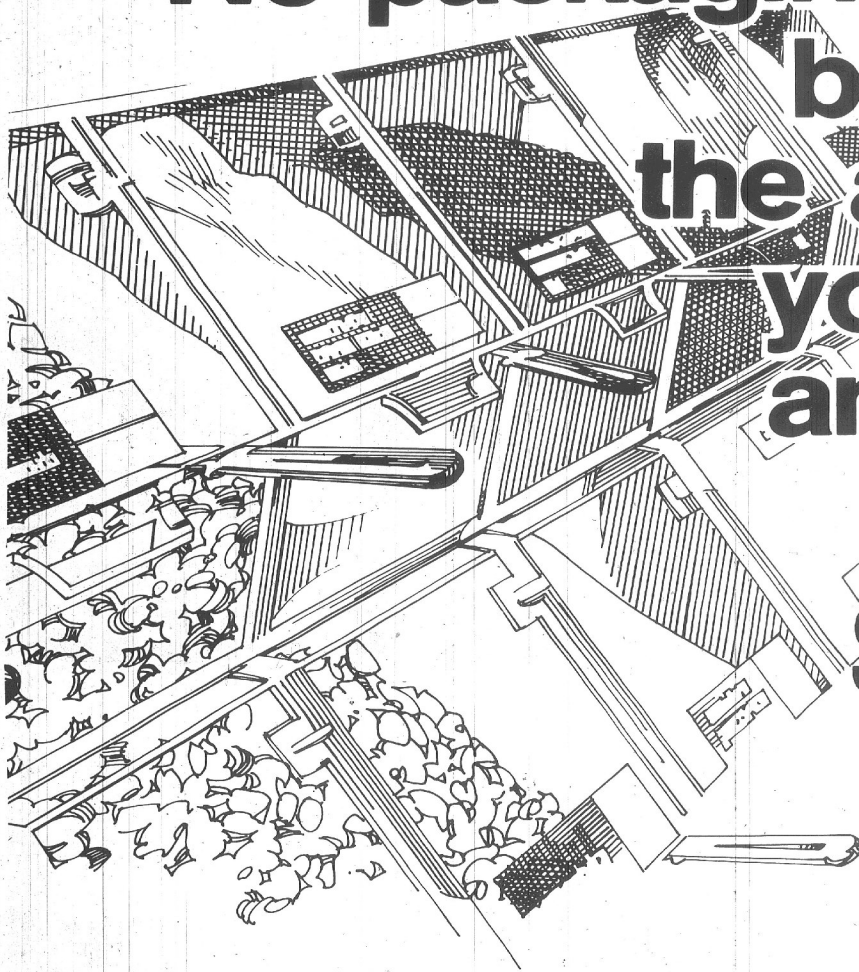


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Colorful casseroles

Try vegetable side dishes
banana nut muffins a hit

When it comes to busy meal preparation, vegetable side dishes are often relegated to the back burner. Major menu items usually demand most of the cook's attention, and even slightly dressed-up vegetables can seem overwhelming with all the other last minute details.

Corn Casserole and Tangy Vegetables are two elegant meal accompaniments that offer an interesting twist to favorite vegetables and at the same time are easy on the cook. Since both festive dishes bake for 30 minutes, they don't require last-minute attention. As an added bonus, several popular vegetables are highlighted in each dish using frozen vegetable combinations. These frozen mixtures are especially convenient, since they already contain the right proportion of vegetables needed for each recipe.

Corn Casserole features a combination of corn and broccoli with a colorful accent of red peppers added to a wine and cheddar cheese sauce. Ideal for a holiday buffet, this tasty casserole is topped with sliced almonds and baked 30 minutes.

Tangy Vegetables is a festive side dish that requires no last-minute preparation. An attractive mixture of broccoli, cauliflower and baby

whole carrots is blended with a zesty sauce that includes a hint of horseradish. The vegetables are spooned into a casserole dish, sprinkled with cracker crumbs and paprika and then baked 30 minutes.

Corn Casserole
2 (16-oz.) pkg. frozen corn with broccoli and red pepper (see note)
1/4 cup margarine or butter
1/2 cup finely chopped onions
1/4 cup flour
3/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. white pepper
1/2 tsp. dry mustard
3/4 cup milk
1/4 to 1/2 cup dry white wine
2 eggs, slightly beaten
4 oz. (1 cup) shredded cheddar cheese
1/4 to 1/2 cup sliced almonds
Grease 2-quart baking dish.
Rinse vegetables in warm water; drain well. Set aside.

In large saucepan, cook onion in melted margarine over medium heat until onion is tender. Blend in flour, salt, pepper and mustard; stir until smooth. Gradually add milk and wine; heat until thickened and bubbly, stirring constantly.

Gently stir in eggs, cheese and vegetables.
Pour into baking dish; sprinkle

with almonds. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes or until hot and bubbly. Garnish as desired.

Makes 10 to 12 servings.
Note: Or use 1 (10 oz.) package of each vegetable.

Tangy Vegetables
1 (16-oz.) pkg. frozen broccoli, cauliflower and carrots
3/4 cup mayonnaise
3 tsp. horseradish sauce
1/2 tsp. onion powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/2 cup coarsely crushed saltine crackers
2 tsp. margarine or butter, melted
1/4 tsp. paprika
Grease 1 1/2-quart casserole.
Rinse vegetables in warm water; drain well. Set aside.

In large bowl, combine mayonnaise, horseradish sauce, onion powder, salt and pepper; blend well. Stir in vegetables. Spoon into casserole.

In small bowl, combine crackers, margarine and paprika; sprinkle evenly over casserole.
Bake at 350° for 25 to 35 minutes or until bubbly around edges.
Makes 6 servings.



Brightens
any table

A COLORFUL and tasty vegetable side dish like this corn casserole can brighten any table and make any meal more enjoyable.

Banana Nut Muffins

2 cups pancake mix
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup chopped nuts
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1 cup mashed ripe banana
1/2 cup milk
1 egg, beaten
1/4 cup oil
2 tsp. sugar
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
Grease medium-sized muffin cups or line them with paper baking cups.
Combine pancake mix, 1/2 cup sugar, nuts and 1/2 tsp. cinnamon. Add banana, milk, egg and oil; mix just until dry ingredients are moistened. Fill muffin cups 3/4 full.
Sprinkle with combined 2 tsp. sugar and 1/2 tsp. cinnamon.
Bake at 425° for 15 to 17 minutes or until golden brown and wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean.
Serve warm.
Makes 12 muffins.

Salmon A L'orange

2 tbsp. butter or margarine, divided
4 (about 6 oz. each) salmon steaks, thawed if necessary
1 1/2 tsp. cornstarch
1 1/2 tsp. water
Grated peel of 1/2 orange
1/2 cup orange juice
Grated peel of 1/2 lemon
1/4 tsp. sugar
1/4 tsp. salt
Lemon cartwheel twists
10-inch nonstick skillet melt 1 tablespoon butter. Add salmon steaks and saute until browned on both sides. Allow 10 minutes cooking time per inch of thickness measured

at its thickest part or until salmon flakes easily when tested with fork.
Remove from skillet; keep warm.
In a small bowl combine cornstarch and water; stir until smooth. Add orange peel and juice, lemon peel, sugar and salt.
In same skillet, add remaining butter to pan drippings, if any. Heat just until butter melts. Stir orange juice mixture well and pour into skillet. Continue to heat, stirring constantly, just until thickened.
Pour over salmon; garnish with orange and lemon cartwheel twists. Serve with lemon wedge, if desired.
Makes 4 servings (about 1/2 cup sauce).



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Business News

IMAGE directors offering merger with leadership group

(Courtesy of the Southern Illinois Labor Tribune)

Directors of IMAGE, a construction industry labor-management problem-solving committee, offered last month to merge with the Southwestern Illinois Leadership Council on Economic Development.

According to Bob Weis, a co-chairman of IMAGE since it was organized some six years ago, and a secretary of the Leadership Council, the merger means IMAGE is prepared to affiliate with and coordinate its activities closely with the Leadership Council's Labor-Management Committee.

IMAGE asks to maintain a separate identity from the Labor-Management Committee because of the special problems of the construction industry, but generally, all the cooperative efforts toward solving labor-management problems in construction, manufacturing and service are now under one roof.

"This is another link in the chain we are forging to provide a community which will attract business and industry to this area," said William Kemp of the Alton-Wood River Area Federation of Labor and a member of the Labor-Management Committee.

"My feeling is that the people involved in these efforts will make them work and the result will be more industry, more business and more jobs for the Metro East area," Dean Turner, secretary-treasurer of the Southwestern Illinois Building & Construction Trades Council, and a member of the Leadership Council's executive board, commented.

"This merger with IMAGE now puts all of us in the Metro East area under one roof. It will contribute immensely to the effort we are making to maintain peaceful relations between workers and management and to develop maximum productivity."

"I guess the most effective way to do this," Turner said, "is to get everyone in the same organization."

Weis, who is business manager of Bricklayers Local 1 in Edwardsville, said the directors of IMAGE voted



ROBERT WEIS

"unanimously to merge with the Leadership Council." The merger must be approved by the council's board of directors, but with the recommendation of its own Labor-Management Committee, that approval is expected to be routine.

The job of the Labor-Management Committee is to maintain productive labor-management relations which prove this prosperity for both workers and the companies which employ them.

Neither the committee nor its affiliated organization, IMAGE, involves itself in collective bargaining, but as Weis said, "We will continue to search for problems before they become impossible to solve."

IMAGE was very successful in this endeavor while an independent organization, Weis said. He has shared the chairmanship with Byron Farrell of Helmkamp Construction Co. since IMAGE was chartered. Farrell and Weis will continue leadership roles in IMAGE after the merger with the Leadership Council.

The Leadership Council, according to Greg Nieman, a staffer of the council, is attempting to conduct an economic development program for both St. Clair and Madison counties and while there is no formal affiliation between the council and many other community organizations, an attempt is underway to integrate the programs of all by interlocking directorates and committee memberships.

Nieman said that all groups, the Leadership Council and other community groups (such as the new Alton-Twin Rivers Growth Association) would probably be more comfortable if described as "partners" than any other term.

Weis is secretary of the Leadership Council. Other officers are Carl Mathias of Illinois Power Co., president; Jack Molloy of Monsanto Chemical Co., vice president; Melvin Leon Hall of First Illinois Bank, treasurer.

Earl Lazerson of Southern Illinois University is chairman of the board. Serving on the executive board from organized labor are Turner, Weis, William Mulconery, business manager of Boiler Makers Local 553; Tony Moeri, retired business manager of Local 353; Reggie Sparks, business manager of Pipefitters Local 553, and Ron Shevlin, business manager of Laborers Local 100.

Shevlin is co-chair of the Labor-Management Committee along with C.E. "Curly" Kuddell of the Council of Contractor Associations. Serving on the committee from organized labor are:

Kemp, Ed Reiske, president of the Tri-City Trades and Labor Council, and Harold Wright, executive secretary of the Belleville Trades and Labor Assembly. Two other union men have been recommended for membership on the committee. They are Dave Young, president-business manager of Stationary Engineers Local 525, and Les Morgan, sub-district director in 34 of the United Steelworkers.



Albert E. Litzelman



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New directors at Colonial

Three appointments have been made to the Board of Directors for Colonial Bank of Granite City. Appointed were Albert E. Litzelman, Lawrence A. Shipley and Alexander Tarpoff.

In addition, Edward J. Kasten has been named vice president in charge of Colonial's lending operations.

Litzelman, a Pontoon Beach businessman since 1973, owns and operates the Pontoon Beach Dairy Queen Restaurant and presently serves on the St. Louis area Dairy Queen Advertising Committee.

Dr. Shipley, a Granite City chiropractic physician and businessman, assumed his father's practice after receiving his doctorate from Logan College in 1976.

Tarpoff, chairman of the board of

Tarpoff Packing Company, has been involved in his family's business since 1952, after receiving his bachelor of science degree from the University of Illinois.

Kasten joined Colonial Bank in 1982 as a consumer loan officer. Prior to attending Lewis and Clark College and Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville, he worked for Godfrey State Bank; then joined Olympia Savings and Loan in Alton after graduation.

Bank President Donald E. Van Horn has reported to the board a deposit increase for 1984 of \$2,287,881, a gain of 8.7 percent from 1983. Van Horn also noted that the bank reached the benchmark of \$20 million in assets during the year, with the customer base continuing to increase.

"We are extremely pleased to welcome our new directors. Their participation in the community and approach to business and organizational activities will be a great asset to Colonial," Van Horn commented.

On the promotion of Kasten to vice president, Van Horn noted, "Mr. Kasten's contribution to the organization has played a large part in our continued success. We feel his appointment to vice president will put him in a position to benefit Colonial and its customers even more as we continue to grow."

Other Colonial directors are Thomas E. Holloway, Carl A. Ranft, John W. Reese, Henry W. Ross, Donald E. Van Horn, Dr. George T. Wilkins Jr. and Melvin C. Wilmsmeyer.

Repeal of 'beauty act' proposed

Sen. Sam Vadala (D-Edwardsville) introduced legislation in the Illinois Senate to amend the Regulatory Agency Sunset Act to repeal the date of the Illinois Beauty Culture Act.

Vadala said he had received numerous letters concerning the expiration date of the act which expires December 31, 1985. If repealed, beauty schools would be not subject to any regulations regarding their operation. The repeal would change the date to December 31, 1985.

Regulations are needed to maintain quality in a profession,"

Vadala said. "Without them, people in this profession would not receive quality training."

In the Regulatory Agency Sunset Act, certain state regulatory programs expire unless legislation is passed to extend them. The purpose of the Sunset legislation is to eliminate regulations which are found to be unnecessary.

Vadala also introduced legislation which would increase the limit for veteran's burials from \$300 to \$600. "These brave men and women have risked their lives for their families," he said. "The hun-

dred dollars pays for very little when it comes to burial expenses. The least we can do is increase the limit to a reasonable amount so our veterans can be afforded a decent burial."

The bill would also include the immediate families of the veterans, such as spouses, parents, widows, widowers, and minor children.

A third Vadala bill concerns designating the multiflora rose, a large bush with tiny white flowers, a noxious weed. Under such designation, the multiflora rose would be controlled by the noxious weed law.

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Sports Sunday

Class A Basketball Ides of March proves lethal for Trojan cagers

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Staff Writer

CHAMPAIGN — Julius Caesar had one thing the Madison High School basketball team didn't. Caesar was warned of March 15, the Ides of March.

Playing in the third quarter-final basketball game of the Class A State Basketball Tournament Friday night at the University of Illinois Assembly Hall, the Trojans had no such warning.

There were no dreams or whispering maidens.

They had no idea that their own Marcus Brutus and Gaius Cassius were lurking about the hardwood in the blood-red and white jerseys of Chrisman Cardinals.

And like a disbelieving Caesar, the unsuspecting Trojans, too, were butchered, losing 73-62.

While Brutus and Cassius used sharpened daggers to swiftly assassinate Caesar, the Cardinals used something less concealed but every bit as sharp and effective to consummate the Trojans — the always effective free throw.

The Cardinals, who entered the contest 26-4, connected on 16 of 18 attempts from the charity stripe the first half and 13 of 17 the second half in their systematic assassination of the Trojans.

For Madison, it was a slow death. One that lingered the entire game and bordered on recovery before slipping off to darkness in the end.

"We're really lousy free-throw shooters," Chrisman coach Roger Beals said after the game. "No, really, I think we're shooting about 65 percent for the season, but who knows what gets into the heads of these young men when they step up to the free-throw line."

Whatever each of the Cardinals were thinking as they stepped up to the free-throw line it must've been positive. Chrisman's free-throw shooting halves combined for a total of 29 of 35 for a whopping .828 percentage. Their field goal percentage was nothing to be ashamed of either. The Cardinals were 22 of 47 in that department for a respectable 46 percent.

The Trojans, on the other hand, were not as accurate from either the stripe or the field. Madison connected 26 of 71 attempts from the floor for a lowly 36 percentage while putting exactly half of their free throws through the hoop, 10 of 20.

"I've got a great deal of respect for Chrisman. When Paris and Chrisman play there always has been a rivalry, so I knew what it'd be like playing them here," said

Madison Coach Rodney Watson who grew up in Paris, a city just 13 miles away from Chrisman.

"Steve Redman is a fine ball player and Troy Hollingsworth is a big part of their game," Watson said.

Redman, the Cardinals' 6-foot 6-inch senior center, was the game's leading scorer with 32 points. Hollingsworth, a 5-foot 11-inch sophomore guard, was effective in neutralizing Madison's pressing defense. For the most part, Hollings-

worth simply drove through it.

"Hey, they hit the free throws and that made the difference in the ball game," Watson said. "We play an up tempo ball game, but tonight we were just a little slow defensively. We weren't moving our feet the way we should."

"You've got to hand it to them. They're scrappy," Watson said. "They were getting one shot to fall in where we couldn't, and when it did it just seemed like we couldn't turn the corner on them."



State Tourney

The corner Watson referred to was the Trojans' numerous attempts to catch and surpass the Cardinals on the scoreboard.

After scoring first and maintaining a slight lead for the first two minutes, the Trojans let that lead slip away with just over three minutes expired.

Chrisman's Wayne Pennington put the Cardinals on top 6-4 at that point, and although the Trojans managed to tie the score later in the contest, Madison never led again.

Chrisman's largest lead of the first quarter was seven points, coming with a 11-4, 17-10 and then a 21-15 lead.

In the second quarter the Trojans began to narrow the Cardinals lead. Madison's 6-foot 4-inch senior Reggie Banks moved the Trojans within three, 22-19, with a crowd-pleasing slam dunk, but a second attempt moments later was unsuccessful.

The third quarter began with Chrisman holding on to a four-point, 40-36 lead. Banks opened up the Trojans' second half scoring when he pushed a bucket through from

within three, 55-52, or the Cardinals. James Bennett scored with an alley-oop type shot on a pass from Deloy Williams with just over seven minutes remaining.

But that was as close as the Trojans would get.

Following a Chrisman timeout, Hollingsworth connected on a 12-foot jumper. Then it was the Cardinals' Greg Hunt's turn to contribute. Hunt made both the front and back end of a one-and-one situation to comfortably put Chrisman back on top.

The Cardinals continued to pick away at Madison and with 2:16 remaining, they re-established their largest lead of the evening, 60-50. Tony Randal managed to tip in one of Redman's few errant shots for the points.

For the remaining two minutes, both the Cardinals and the Trojans swapped buckets, but Chrisman managed to hold on to its 11-point victory.

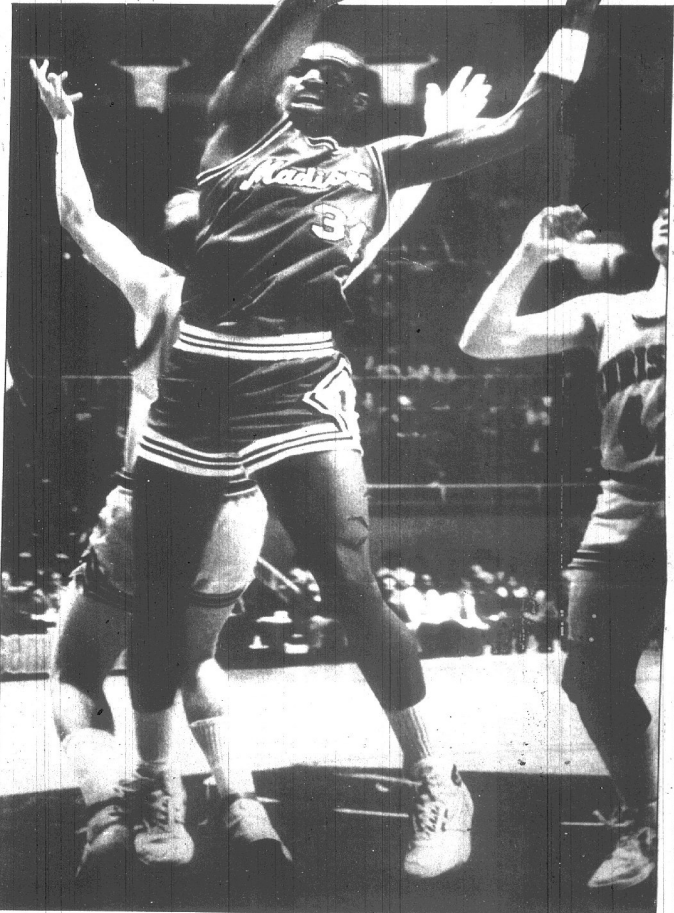
With the victory, Chrisman earned a berth into Saturday afternoon's semi-final round with Harvard. Harvard defeated Anna-Jonesboro in the final quarter-final game Friday.

Other quarter-final round winners include Hopkinton over Pittsfield 60-58 and Chicago Providence-St. Mel. 89-56 winners over Princeville.

SCORING					
MADISON	17	19	12	14	62
CHRISMAN	22	18	16	16	72

MADISON (62): Banks 8 4-5 20, Bennett 5 1-2 11, N. Young 3 2-2 8, Williams 6 3-3 15, Valentine 2 0-4, Marshall 2 0-4, FG 26-71, FT 16-20, PF 25.

CHRISMAN (72): Redman 11 10-11 32, Hollingsworth 6 10-12 26, Hunt 2 2-5 8, Hunt 0 5-6 8, Pennington 1 2-2 4, DeMoss 1 0-2 2, Randal 1 0-2, FG 22-47, FT 29-35, PF 20.



Pullin' it down

ROUGH AND REGGIE. Madison High School's Reggie Banks pulls down this rebound during Friday night's Class A quarterfinal game of the Class A state basketball tournament in Champaign. The Trojans ended their season at 23-8 after losing 73-62 to Chrisman.

(Staff photo by Alan L. Gerstenecker)

Spring Training



WEATHERING IT. As the mercury inched higher spring sports workouts at Granite City High School moved outdoors last week. At left, varsity tennis hopeful Jey Strathede uses his forehand to return a shot during a practice match. At right, Fred



Becker squares to bunt as he works out in the batting cage. The Warriors begin their 1985 baseball season with a doubleheader at home against Washington on March 23. The tennis team begins play March 29.

(Staff photo by Gregg Ochao)

Illini Gateway Hall, Wise named to Conference team

Jesse Hall and Darren Wise of the Venice High Red Devil basketball team were the only unanimous selections to the Illini-Gateway All-Conference team.

Also named to the squad were the Red Devil's Victor Jackson and Charles Milton.

The four led the Red Devils to the

Illini-Gateway Conference crown with a 8-0 mark. The Red Devils finished at 22-4 overall.

Others named to the All-Conference team are: Tony Plumbo and Paul Fehrmann of St. Paul, John Taylor and Jeff Augustine of Livingston and Brian Steinmeyer and Todd Daube of Metro-East Lutheran.

Summer Camp Guelker slates youth soccer camps

Bob Guelker, soccer coach of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, has announced the registration for his annual junior Olympic soccer camp for boys and girls.

Two sessions are planned, and the first will be held at The Missouri Baptist College, July 14-15, and the second session will be held at Parks College in Cahokia on July 21-26. The camps are open to boys 8 through 17 years of age, and girls 13 through 18

years of age. Registration fee for the overnight camp is \$175 which includes meals, lodging, air-conditioned dormitories, instruction of fundamentals, and coaching of team tactics, insurance, and awarding of trophies. Discounts are available for groups of 10 or more.

Complete information may be obtained by writing to: Bob Guelker, junior Olympic soccer camp, P.O. Box 9363, St. Louis, Missouri 63117.

GCHS Basketball Hylla: GCHS' unsung Warrior cager

By GREGG OCHOA
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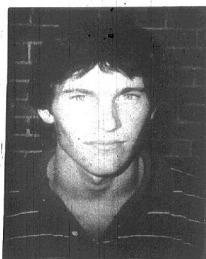
COLLINSVILLE — Granite City's Kurt Hylla is a quiet person. He doesn't say too much. He's not all that flashy. He just goes out and does his job.

One might say he is the Warriors' version of Claude Rains. Hylla doesn't receive the ink some of his teammates do, but he has been a steady player for the Granite City High School basketball team this season. He always seemed to have a nose for the ball.

Notice the use of past tense. Wednesday night at Fletcher Gymnasium here, dropping an emotional 53-43 decision to Alton in the sectional semifinals.

It closed the door on one of the most successful seasons in Warrior basketball history in the past seven years.

Even assistant coach Jack Parker's lucky plaid jacket couldn't help.



Kurt Hylla

"The kids call this my Bobby Knight jacket," Parker mused. "I have several jackets that are lucky

but I wore this one because I had it on at the last two games with Alton (two Granite City victories)."

The season came to an abrupt halt. The final count a little misleading.

"We had a real nice season," said Hylla as he stood just outside the Warrior dressing room. "It's awfully tough to beat a team three times in one season."

Hylla, a senior, went out in style. He scored 10 points, grabbed six rebounds. (Both figures above his seasonal average). Hylla also had two steals and baited away another pass to give the Warriors a key possession in the fourth quarter.

At one point, it appeared the Warriors were about to take command of the game when Hylla stripped the ball away from Alton's Larry Smith in the back court and drove for a layup.

As it turned out, with 2:45 left, that basket gave Granite City its final lead, 55-54.

For the most part it seemed

Hylla's play always came at a crucial time in the game.

Example: Hylla's first steal of the game came in the second quarter. He stole the ball from Jeff Herd, dashed it off teammate Jeff Gray, whose basket tied the score at 19-19.

Hylla takes it in stride. When told of his stats, he just nodded.

Hylla has been the Warriors' "Silent Partner" this season. Not much was said or written about him. Hylla doesn't mind the role.

"I kind of like it that way," he said. "It really takes the pressure off. Everybody's expecting Scott (Cant) and Jeff (Gray) to get their points."

"I can go out and relax and just play. If I have a big game, great. But if I don't, that's okay. As long as I know I'm doing my job."

In order for Hylla to do that job, before each game he must go through tedious ritual.

He spends approximately 30 minutes getting both ankles taped and securing a brace for each. He

hurt his left ankle in last year's regional tournament and wears the brace for support.

The fact that Hylla is playing — much less contributing — is a testament to his desire.

Last fall Hylla severely hurt his right ankle during football practice.

"They had to put four pins in it," he said, recalling the operation.

An All-Gateway East first team defensive back his junior year, Hylla never played a down his senior season.

But in his mind, there wasn't a doubt that he would come back in time for basketball.

"I really didn't sit down and think about it (not playing)," he said. "But I worked hard and I was lucky everything came out all right."

Sitting in the lockerroom while his ankles are being prepared for the rigors of high school basketball, Hylla has a lot of time to think.

"I try to get everyone fired up and to know what we have to do," he said.

Now that the season has drawn to a close, Hylla will move outdoors to play baseball.

But, football is his first love. After graduation, Hylla hopes to attend a small school or a junior college.

Several colleges have expressed interest, including William Jewell near Kansas and Treighton in Chicago.

Don't be surprised if Hylla doesn't show up on someone's roster.

Coaches love players who do most of their talking during gametime.

Win opener Robertson, paces Cougars

By AL BARNES
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EDWARDSVILLE — The 1985 Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville baseball varsity got its season underway Thursday afternoon here at Cougar Field by convincingly defeating a fine Missouri Baptist College club, 6-3, in nine innings. The Baptist College Spartans dropped to 6-2 on the season.

SIUE coach Gary "Bo" Collins, who is playing it "cool" about his team's chances this campaign and is making no predictions, could well have the best overall pitching staff in his seven highly successful years as the Cougars' head man. He used three hurlers in posting SIUE's first victory of the season.

Despite the Cougars' winning efforts Thursday, the Cougars lost their next game, Friday, an 8-7 loss to the University of Missouri in St. Louis.

Against Missouri Baptist, Collins led off with his towering (6-6) left-hander, Tony Duenas, a Air Force youngster who prepped at Althoff High, a sophomore. The slender,

wiry, hard-throwing Duenas, who is also a standout with the bat, was impressive in four hitless frames when he set down 12 straight Baptist College batters. He retired two more in the fourth inning before walking a man.

The sun was out and shining brightly but the wind suddenly picked up and it turned almost cold on the mound beginning the fifth inning. And it all seemed to take its toll on Duenas' control. The Spartans' lead-off man, catcher Terry Kile, blasted the first pitch to him for a four-bagger and there went Duenas' bid for a no-hitter. The roundtripper cut the Cougar lead to 2-1.

It looked as Duenas had regained his "stuff" as he retired the first two hitters in the sixth. But it wasn't so. Back-to-back homers by Pat Devine and Andy Carter (losing hurler) cut SIUE's lead to 4-3 and Collins promptly called freshman Marty Jones of Marquette (Alton) High, who hurled two hitless frames before being relieved by Collinsville's Pete Delkus in the final inning.



Jones pitched Marquette to the Illinois state championship last year, while Delkus paced the Kahoeks to a second place finish two years ago.

Hitting Cougar stars were: Granite City's Mike Robertson, who went three-for-four and drove in two runs and Bob Froelichstein, a sophomore from Webster Groves. He led all hitters with three RBIs on a two-run homer in the eighth frame and a sacrifice run (the Cougars' first) in the second inning.

Collins couldn't conceal his pleasure at Robertson's all-around play and batting.

"He's a complete ball player. He can play any position, but he's probably best at either shortstop or

third base," stated Collins.

Against Baptist College, Collins started Robertson in centerfield and in the third frame the Granite City native gave the fans a thrill when he robbed Dave Baker of what looked like a sure double or triple by making a sensational catch just a little back of second base to retire the side.

This weekend the Cougars will travel to Texas for nine games. They'll return home March 27 to the host of the Battering Bears of Washington University.

On March 28, the Bills of St. Louis U. will be at Cougar Field for a single game. On March 29 it won't get any easier when SIUE goes to Carbondale for a single game.

April 11 is the date for SIUE fans who want to wait for the Salukis to come to town for a single game. Last year, the Cougars defeated the Salukis 12-11 in a wild hitting contest. Carbondale leads the overall series, 4-13.

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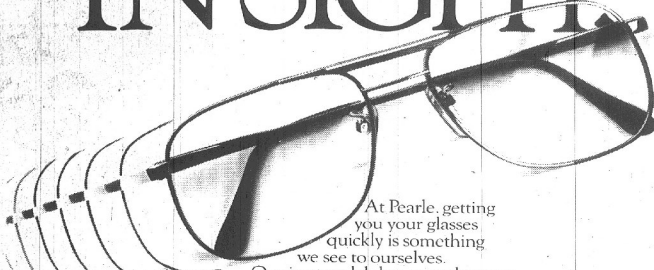
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Local Wrestlers

Junior grapplers deal with IKWF pressure

By GREGG OCHOA
Staff Writer

EDWARDSVILLE — The pressure to perform up to expectations on cue is immense for any athlete. The demands are magnified when the athlete is young.

More than 480 junior high school wrestlers got a taste of high level competition last weekend at the 15th annual Illinois Kids Wrestling Federation (IKWF) state championships.

The meet, which concludes Saturday evening with the Grand March of Finalists and championship bouts, was held at the Valdalahene Center on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Included in the field are four undefeated wrestlers from the Metro East area. Two of them, Rich Fenoglio (41-0 at 125-pounds) and Chuck Sparks (25-0 at 135-pounds), are from Granite City.

Three other Granite kids are listed among the favorites to capture individual titles: 95-pounder Brent Davis (40-2); 100-pounder Bryan Pritchett (30-4) and Andy Jenkins, a 55-pounder.

"Stepping on the mat at a tournament of this size is just awesome," said Mike Trgovich, one of three

coaches for the Granite City Wrestling Club.

"Most of our kids have never been in a meet of this caliber. It's good for them to get the experience now. It will help them when they get into high school."

Trgovich knows what he's talking about. In high school he was a standout wrestler at Granite City and also competed on the collegiate level at SIU-Carbondale.

In fact, all three of the club's coaches were high school wrestlers. "I think we have about 95 years of experience between all three of us," said Trgovich of his partners, Tom Sparks and Monte Kessler.

We have three different styles, but I think we can teach the kids a lot. I was the speedster, Tommy had speed and strength and Monte had muscle," Trgovich said.

"We all wrestled at different weights. We give the kids a balance," Trgovich added. "That's important because a 95-pounder doesn't wrestle the same as a heavyweight."

In all, 12 wrestlers from Granite City are entered. Six earned the trip by winning sectional championships. The top three finishers in each weight class advanced.

Participants are sixth through

eighth graders and will wrestle in 20 different weight classes.

Coach Tom Sparks said the kids were both excited and apprehensive. "The problem was they were a little too keyed up," Sparks said. He is hoping that after the initial bouts, the rest will relax.

"We had three bouts and they didn't wrestle aggressively," Trgovich said. "I think they were in awe."

As many as 100 different clubs will be represented at the this year's state tournament.

"Some of the clubs are really big clubs with big bucks," Trgovich said. "We wrestle from the seat of our pants. By that I mean if we go to an out-of-town tournament the kids pay their own way."

Club wrestling is nothing new to Granite City, but the present organization has been in existence since 1977.

Trgovich said the club was started by ex-wrestlers and parents. "We want the kids to keep the Granite City wrestling tradition up," he said.

Also, without club affiliation or practice sessions, local wrestlers would discover the rigors of statewide competition tougher.

"The kids up north wrestle a lot more than we do. There is tougher

competition and a lot more of it," Trgovich said. "We kind of formed (the club) out of self defense."

Within the club, two teams are utilized. Junior high students in the Coolidge and Grigsby districts.

Trgovich said the wrestling club is self-supported. Members raise money through car washes, pizza sales and from proceeds from tournaments they host.

"We have started off slow, but now we are building," Trgovich said.

The Granite City Wrestling Club raised money for a \$4,000 mat and new uniforms.

The team practices twice a week during the season which usually consists for four or five tournaments after the junior high wrestling season. When the IKWF districts roll around, practices are held five days a week.

"We teach them techniques, conditioning and even mat savvy," Trgovich said. "It's just like a high school or college workout only on a miniature scale. The competitors are miniature."

"It's important for the kids to get used to this type of meet. It will help them in the future."

And the pressure is there. No one feels it more than kids.

"It's unbelievable," said Mike Mansfield, a student at Coolidge who wrestles at 145-pounds. "You can't even imagine it."

In his first bout Friday afternoon, Mansfield almost let the event get the best of him. However, he came up big, scoring a near fall late in the match to beat Larry Richardson of Unity Youth Wrestling Club 10-9 in a preliminary bout.

Even Trgovich was struck by the magnitude of the meet.

"I haven't wrestled in quite some time, but when we walked out there for the parade (Friday) morning, I got a lump in my throat."

Trgovich and the other coaches

handle the nerves the best they can.

"We just tell them take a deep breath, relax and listen to what we tell you and give 100 percent," he said.

"As long as they give 100 percent out on the mat we are proud of them. If they do that, we may have kids who get beat, but we don't have any losers."



School Menus

MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY CAFETERIA MANAGERS

GRANITE CITY
Tuesday-Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, applesauce.
Wednesday-Turkey and dressing, sweet potatoes, corn, fruit cup.
Thursday-Taco, corn, fruit cup.
Friday-No school (County Institute) Monday-Manager's choice.

MADISON
Tuesday-Chicken nuggets, tater tots, slaw, gelatin.
Wednesday-Taco salad, garlic bread, cherry crisp.
Thursday-Fried chicken, whipped potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, applesauce.
Friday-No school (County Institute) Monday-Chesseburger, baked beans, fruit cup.

VENICE
Tuesday-Cheese Toastie, vegetable soup, chocolate pudding.
Wednesday-Pizza squares, corn, fruit gelatin.
Thursday-Beef stew, cornbread, applesauce.
Friday-No school (County Institute) Monday-Beef and noodle, buttered peas, candied yams.

PAROCHIAL
St. Margaret Mary
Tuesday-Hamburgers, tater tots, green beans, cookies.
Wednesday-Beef taco, mixed vegetables, celery and carrot sticks, cherries.

Thursday-Baked turkey, corn, buttered rice, lettuce, applesauce.
Friday-Fish, buttered noodles, peas, slaw, fruit gelatin.
Monday-Hotdogs, tater tots, corn, cake.

St. Elizabeth
Tuesday-Tacos, potato sticks, fruit, French fries, green beans, pudding.
Thursday-Chili and crackers, peanut butter sandwich, applesauce.
Friday-No school (County Institute) Monday-Ravioli, salad, fruit.

St. Mary
Tuesday-Hotdogs, French fries, corn, peaches.
Wednesday-Meatballs in sauce, whipped potatoes, salad, cookies.
Thursday-Bologna sandwich, chicken noodle soup, carrot sticks, cherry pie.

Friday-No school (County Institute) Monday-Barbecue pork sandwich, baked beans, potatoes, fruit cup.

Sacred Heart-St. Joseph
Tuesday-Chili and crackers, celery and carrot sticks, cheese chunks, cake, strawberry gelatin.
Wednesday-Hotdogs, potato chips, cheese, baked beans, peas.
Thursday-Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, applesauce, chocolate pudding, peas.
Friday-Toasted cheese sandwich, French fries, lemon pudding.
Monday-Cannelloni, cheese, peas, salad, cookies, peaches.

Basketball

Park announces Hot Shot winners

The Granite City Park District along with the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Alton, held its annual "Pepsi Hot-Shot Contest" on Saturday, March 9. Each child entered was given one minute to shoot from various numbered spots on the basketball floor while points scored were recorded.

The winners of the third grade group were: first place, Jason Smith, nine years old of Frohardt School. Smith is the son of George and Carolyn Smith, 1705 Garfield. His total points were 30.

Brian Goff finished second with a total of 29 points. He is the son of Cathy and Wally Goff, is eight years old and attends St. Elizabeth School.

In third place with 25 points was 9-year old Chad Wozniak of 4126 Braden who attends Mitchell School. Wozniak's parents are Greg and Linda Wozniak.

In the fourth grade division, the winners were Brent Dippel, first place, son of Bob and Jenny Dippel of 2450 State St. Dippel is 10 years old and attends Niedringhaus School. His score was 34.

Chris Warren finished in second place with 26 points. He is the son of Jim and Janet Warren and attends Parkview School.

The third place winner was Mike Parker with a total of 20 points, and lives at 2223 Edison and attends Niedringhaus School.

In the fifth grade contest, Karen Sykes scored 18 points to finish in first place. Karen is 10 years old and attends Frohardt School. In second place was Melissa Griffith who

scored 14 points. She is 10 years old and goes to Webster School.

The winners in the sixth grade age group were: Dixie Price who lives at 2319 Zippel and goes to Parkview School. She scored 48 points to finish in first place. Her parents are Donna and Harold Price.

Robbie Terrell scored 44 points to take second place. Terrell is 11 years

old and attends Frohardt School. His parents are Bill and JoAnn Terrell.

Scoring 37 points and finishing in third place was Matt Loftus who is the son of Ray and Marie Loftus of 2160 Dawn. He is 11 years old and attends St. Elizabeth School.

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SLU Soccer Camp

St. Louis University soccer coach Joey Clark, assistant Tom Howe and the Steamers' Tony Glavin will be holding two overnight soccer camps this summer at St. Louis University.

Cost is \$100 per camper with \$10 discounts for early payment, second child or group enrollment.

—June 9-14 is a select team camp, open only by invitation for boys 12-17 years old. Invitations can be obtained through coach recommendations.

—July 14-19 open camp for boys 14 and under.

For more information persons should write Billiken Soccer Camp, 3672 West Pine, St. Louis, Mo. 63108, or call (314) 658-3186.

QCSA registration

The Quad-Cities Soccer Association is still registering new players and teams for its coming spring seasons.

Parents with children — both boys and girls — wishing to play in a spring league should call the QCSA information center at 877-1282 or send a copy of the child's birth certificate to QCSA, PO Box 624, Granite City, Illinois, 62040.

To be eligible, children should be born in 1980 and before.

I-C Baseball meeting

The Illinois Inter-City League will hold an organizational meeting Sunday, March 24, to discuss the coming 1985 season.

Slated for discussion at the meeting, which will be held at the Maryville Fire Hall at 1 p.m., will be attracting new teams into the league.

For additional information, persons should call Earl Schardan at 877-1415.

Nelson's softball signup

Lord Nelson's Sports Complex, which is under new management, is currently registering teams for its spring softball leagues which begin on April 22.

Under the management of Mike Pedigo, the complex, which is located at 4015 Pontoon Road, has released its schedule for the coming spring season.

On Monday, police teams will compete while the men's leagues will compete on Tuesday and Wednesday. Thursday evening has been slated for a men's 30 and older league.

Friday has been reserved for co-ed leagues while the weekend is open for tournaments and other leagues, including a proposed industrial league on Saturdays.

Persons wishing to register a team for any of the leagues should contact Pedigo at 931-6338 before 5 p.m. and 867-5520 after 5:30 p.m.

Pedigo has also slated a pre-season tournament for April 12-14.

Stars honor athletes

Granite City Center of Belleville Area College (BAC) honored its outstanding athletes at their first Sports Awards Dinner, March 4 at Petri's Cafe in Granite City.

The Provost Award was presented to one player in each sport who demonstrated excellence as a team member the last two years.

Benny Nolan from Granite City North High School received the award for soccer and Charles Gardner from West Frankfort High School in West Frankfort for wrestling.

Ferry Collins, GCC's basketball coach, said Nolan and Gardner showed dedication to the team and to their sports.

Wilbur Trampe, who recently left the position of interim provost for the center to become an ambassador for BAC, presented the awards.

Recognition was also given to the athletes who played on the teams since they were formed two years ago. They received plaques identifying them as the first alumni of GCC's athletic program.

Alesia Jones from Madison received the two-year recognition plaque for her participation in volleyball.

In soccer, six athletes received two-year plaques. They include Nolan and Tim Dean from Granite City North High School; Jim Doyle, Ed Freesmeier and Rick Mader from Rosary High School in St. Louis; and Phil Popmarkoff from Granite City South High School.

In wrestling, Gardner and Darren Lindsey from Herrin High School in Herrin, received two-year plaques.

All-regional honors from the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Awards went to soccer players, Doyle, Nolan and Freesmeier.

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